

PRESIDENT WILSON'S MESSAGE

DESPERATE FIGHTING READ IN PERSON TO CONGRESS

Federals and State Troops in a
Battle Below Naco, Sonora—
Americans Wounded

NACO, Ariz., April 8.—Desperate fighting between Ojeda's federals and state troops opened at 5:20 this morning. The scene of the battle was less than a mile below Naco, Sonora. Bullets fell on the American side of the line and two American soldiers on border patrol were wounded. Ojeda again used his artillery effectively and held the state troops at a distance despite their superior numbers. The residents of Naco, Ariz., are congregated in buildings as far as possible from the scene of the fight to escape the bullets which are falling in showers near the international line.

TRUCE OF STRIKE WAS BROKEN

600 N. Y. Telephone Girls Arrived
in Boston in Anticipation
of Walkout

NEW YORK, April 8.—Six hundred telephone girls left New York for Boston today in anticipation of a possible walkout of the telephone operators there. The young women said they were to receive regular wages, a bonus of \$25 each, a room at a hotel and all expenses paid, including their laundry. They were recruited from the various telephone exchanges in New York, Yonkers, Westchester and New Jersey. About 500 "linemen" and "troublemakers" accompanied the girls, who were accompanied by 12 women monitors. The train left the Grand Central station at 7:55 o'clock and was scheduled to reach Boston at 1 o'clock this afternoon. There were seven cars to the train.

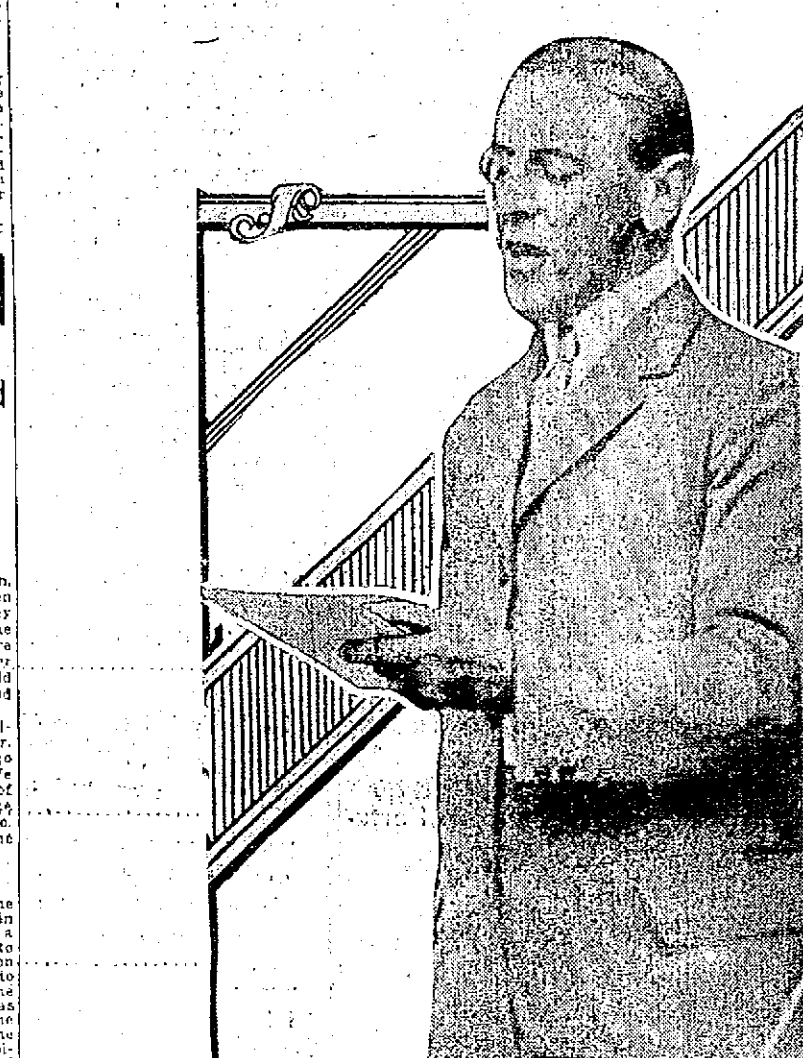
Ample assurances of protection have been given the young women, they said, in the event of trouble in Boston. For recreation, they asserted, the telephone company had promised to take them sightseeing "ou. "Cubborneck" wagons around Boston and vicinity when they were off duty.

E. T. Thayer, vice president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., said that not only New York and its suburbs but Chicago, Washington, Baltimore and Pittsburgh had been asked to send what operators they could spare to Boston. Thus far the 600 from New York are all that have started for Boston but Mr. Thayer expected that the company soon would have assembled there between 1000 and 2000 possible strikebreakers. "We asked for volunteers in the various New York exchanges," said Mr. Thayer, "and more girls offered to go to Boston than we could send. We expect no trouble in getting plenty of volunteers from other offices. The American Telephone & Telegraph Co. is satisfied that the demands of the Boston operators are unjustified."

Truce of Controversy Broken
BOSTON, April 8.—The truce in the telephone controversy was broken in the opinion of labor leaders when a special train from New York rolled into the Back Bay station this afternoon and unloaded 350 girls prepared to take the place of Boston girls if the latter strike. Nevertheless it was stated at union headquarters that the "hello" girls would keep faith with the state board of conciliation and arbitration to which they have pledged their word not to take any drastic action before tomorrow night. In conference between counsel for the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. and representatives of the girls yesterday it was agreed to let matters stand as they were 48 hours pending further negotiations. The conferences were arranged by the state board, which advised this delay. Counsel for the company asserted today that it was no part of the understanding that the company should make recruiting now help for a possible emergency. In a statement made this morning, President Spaulding of the company says that he is prepared to fight to a finish and the places of the strikers. If a strike is declared, will be promptly filled.

Swimmer Sullivan's
Dance
TONIGHT
ASSOCIATE HALL AT 8 O'CLOCK
SPEAKERS
Col. Humphrey O'Sullivan, of Lowell.
Dr. William E. Crockett, of Boston.
SINGERS
Commissioner James E. Donnelly,
Mr. John Neeson,
Mr. Eugene McCarthy,
Mr. Timothy Roban.
FOLLOWED BY DANCING.

About
Woman's
Beauty
Do you know that the
Electric Flatiron has con-
siderable to do with a
woman's beauty?
This iron needs no
stove—no flame—it irons
in any cool room!
Is it strange that this
easy ironer has to do with
woman's beauty?
Lowell Electric Light Corp.
50 Central St.



PRESIDENT WILSON
Reading Message to Congress at Special Session Today

Extra Session Called to Bring Prompt Relief and Prevent Long Suspense —To Eliminate Special Privilege

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Setting aside precedents of more than a century, President Wilson today appeared in the halls of congress and delivered his first legislative message in person. This is the first time since the administration of John Adams, that a president has availed himself of the right to deliver his formal message. Before reading his formal message, the president said: "I am very glad indeed to have this opportunity to address the two houses directly and to verify for myself the impression that the president of the United States is a person, not a mere department of the government, hailing congress from some isolated island of jealous power, sending messages, not speaking naturally and with his own voice, that he is a human being trying to co-operate with other human beings in a common service. After this pleasant experience I shall feel quite normal in all our dealings with one another."

Proceeding to the message, he said: "Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives: I have called the congress together in extraordinary session because a duty was laid upon the party now in power at the recent elections which it ought to perform promptly. It is clear that the burden carried by the people under existing law may be lightened as soon as possible and in order, also, that the business interests of the country may not be kept too long in suspense as to what the fiscal changes are to be to which they will be required to adjust themselves. It is clear that the whole country that the tariff duties must be altered. They must be changed to meet the radical alteration in the conditions of our economic life which the country has witnessed within the last generation. While the whole face and method of our industrial and commercial life were being changed beyond recognition the tariff schedules have remained what they were before the change began, or have moved in the direction they were given when no large circumstance of our industrial development was what it is today. Our task is to square them with the actual facts. The sooner that is done the sooner we shall escape from suffering from the facts and the sooner our men of business will be free to thrive by the law of nature (the nature of free business) instead of by the law of legislation and artificial arrangement. We have seen tariff legislation wander very far indeed from the field in which our prosperity might have had a normal growth and stimulation. No one who looks the facts squarely in the face or knows anything that lies beneath the surface of action can fail to perceive the principles upon which recent tariff legislation has been based. We long ago passed beyond the modest notion of "protecting" the industries of the country and moved boldly forward to the idea that they were entitled to the direct patronage of the government. For a long time—a time so long that the men now active in public policy hardly remember the conditions that preceded it—we have sought in our tariff schedules to give each group of manufacturers or producers what they themselves thought that they needed in order to maintain a practically exclusive market as against the rest of the world. Consciously or unconsciously, we have built up a set of privileges and exemptions from competition behind which it was easy by any, even the crudest, forms of combination to organize monopoly; until at last nothing is normal, nothing is obliged to stand the tests of efficiency and economy. In our world of big business but everything thrives by concerted arrangement. Only new principles of action will save us from a final hard crystallization of monopoly and a complete loss of the influences

RECOVERY OF \$10,000 Suit Against Cambridge Co.—Case of Doyle vs. Newton St. Rail- way Given to Jury

The superior court session for civil cases, Judge Nathan D. Pratt presiding, which was started in the Lowell courthouse yesterday morning, was resumed today with the case of Doyle vs. Newton Street Railway Co., and Brady vs. Same, actions of tort. The features of the case were stated in yesterday's Sun. The case occupied the court's attention all forenoon and the arguments were presented shortly before 1 o'clock, after which the judge charged the jury. Before the noon recess the case of Goodman vs. the D. Whiting Co. of Cambridge, an action of tort, the damnum of which is \$10,000, went to trial. In this case, the plaintiff, Nathan Goodman of Boston, sues for the recovery of damages for alleged personal injuries when he was struck by a wagon owned by the defendant company, and operated by agents of the said company. He claims he was crossing a street in Cambridge, and was exercising due care, when the wagon struck him, causing serious injury. The date of the alleged accident is set as April 7, 1911. F. B. Garland appears for the plaintiff, and Trull & Weir for the defendant company.

that quicken enterprise and keep independent energy alive. It is plain what these principles must be. We must abolish everything that occurs even the semblance of privilege, or of any kind of artificial advantage, and put our business men and producers under the stimulation of a constant necessity to be efficient, economical and enterprising; masters of competitive supremacy, better workers and merchants than any in the world. Aside from the duties laid upon articles which we do not and probably can not, produce, therefore, and the duties laid upon luxuries and merely for the sake of the revenues they yield, the object of the tariff duties henceforth laid must be effective competition, the whetting of American wits by contest with the wits of the rest of the world. It would be unwise to move toward this end hesitatingly, with reckless haste, or with strokes that cut at the very roots of what has grown up amongst us by long process and at our own invitation. It does not alter a thing to upset it and break it and deprive it of a chance to change. It destroys it. We must make changes in our fiscal laws, in our fiscal system, whose object is development, a more free and wholesome development, not revolution or upset or confusion. We must build up a trade, especially foreign trade. We need the outlet and the enlarged field of energy more than we ever did before. We must build up industry as well, and must add freedom in the place of artificial stimulation only so far as it will build, not pull down. In dealing with the tariff the method by which this may be done will be a matter of judgment, exercised item by item. To some not accustomed to the excitements and responsibilities of greater freedom our methods may seem heroic, but remedies may be ordered and yet be remedies. It is our business to make sure that they are genuine remedies. Our object is clear. If our motive is above just challenge and only an occasional error of judgment is chargeable against us, we shall be fortunate. We are called upon to render the country a great service in more matters than one. Our responsibility should be met and our methods should be thorough, as thorough as moderate

and well considered, based upon the facts as they are, and not worked out as if we were beginners. We are to deal with the facts of our own day, with the facts of no other, and to make laws which square with these facts. It is best, indeed, it is necessary, to begin with the tariff. I will urge nothing upon you now at the opening of your session which can obscure that first object or divert our energies from that clearly defined duty. At a later time I may take the liberty of calling your attention to reforms which should press close upon the heels of the tariff changes. If not accompany them, of which the chief is the reform of our banking and currency laws; but just now I refrain. For the present, I put these matters on one side and think only of this one thing—the changes in our fiscal system which may best serve to open more the free channels of prosperity to a great people whom we would have to the utmost and throughout both rank and file.

THE SCHOOL CLINIC
Will be Doing Business
in a Little While
EXPECTED TO OPEN ABOUT A
WEEK FROM MONDAY
Only 400 Dogs Have Had Their Li-
censes Renewed—Export Account-
ants Auditing City's Books
Arrangements for the establishment
of a school clinic of dentistry are fast
nearing completion. The schools will
open next Monday and the school com-
mittee hopes to have the clinic opened
one week from that day, April 21. The
various details of the administration
of the clinic are being worked out.
Members of the Lowell Dental society
and the local dentists who are not
members of it, have been interviewed
by members of the school committee
and it is understood that everything
looks favorable for the complete suc-
cess of the clinic.

Dog Licenses
The police estimate the number of
dogs in Lowell that are licensed and
should have their licenses renewed at
about 1800. If their figures are correct
there are about 1400 unlicensed dogs
in Lowell and they are liable to be
taken to the gas house any old day.
The time is up and while license mon-
ey is being received at the city clerk's
office, the unlicensed dogs aren't standing
any more of a show at the present
time than he would were he to fall
overboard while suffering an attack
of the rabies. It was stated at the office
of the city clerk this forenoon that
about 400 of the 1800 dogs had had
their licenses renewed.
Paid Your Taxes?
If you have overlooked the payment
of your taxes and are desirous of sav-
ing a penny, just call round at the
office of the city treasurer and say:
"Please, Mr. Clerk, I want to pay my
taxes." This is a tip and you ought
not to miss it. The tax warrants are
to be issued this week and you can
take your choice, a trip to the city
clerk's office or a visit to your office
or home from the constable.
Police Will Assist
Mayor O'Donnell, today or tomorrow,
will address a letter to the superin-
tendents of the police, asking him to in-
struct his officers to assist the board
of health in keeping the streets clean.
The mayor believes that the police
can do a great deal along this line,
preventing boys and others from dis-
ting into barrels of paper that are left
in the street and scattering the con-
tents about the street.
Auditing the Accounts
Messrs. Holt, Rockwell and Vinton
of the office of the bureau of labor
and statistics have been detailed by
Chief Gettens to audit the financial
books of this city for the year 1912.
These three accountants are at work
on the tax books in the treasurer's
office, their first work being that of
balancing the tax accounts.
Mississippi Levee Collapsed
MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 8.—The Mis-
sissippi river levee at Graves bayou, 25
miles south of Memphis, collapsed early
today.

LIKE HOT CAKES
Tickets Are Selling
—FOR—
The Monster Benefit in Aid
of Ohio Flood Sufferers
—AT—
LOWELL OPERA HOUSE, FRIDAY NIGHT
20 Big Acts. Admission—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

NEW TARIFF BILL

Makes Radical Reductions—Long Free List—Free Sugar in Three Years—Heavy Cut on Woolens

A graduated tax on incomes of more than \$4000.

Free raw wool.

Free boots and shoes.

Sugar rates cut 25 per cent; sugar to be free in three years.

"Market Basket" items on the free list: Meat, bread, flour, potatoes, milk, salt and fish.

Reduced rates on butter, eggs and other necessities.

Lumber, iron ore, wood pulp, print paper, bituminous coal and leather to be free.

Radical cuts in manufactured woolens, including blankets, flannels, ready-made clothing and women's and children's dresses.

Heavy cuts in steel products and pig iron.

Some chemicals and drugs shifted from free to dutiable list.

Taxes on luxuries stand except for some instances where they are raised beyond the Payne-Aldrich law figures.

SYNOPSIS OF TARIFF BILL AND COMPARISON OF NEW RATES WITH THE OLD

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Removal of all tariff from many articles of food and clothing; broad reductions in the rates of duty on all necessities of life; an increase of tariff on many luxuries; and a new income tax that would touch the pocket of every American citizen whose net income exceeds \$4000, are the striking features of the new democratic tariff revision bill, presented today to the house.

Sugar would be free of duty in 1916, the bill proposing an immediate 25 per cent reduction and the removal of the remaining duty in 1918.

Raw wool would be made free at once, with a correspondingly heavy reduction in the tariff on all woolen goods.

All these other articles are put on the free list, namely:

Meats, flour, bread, boots and shoes, lumber, coal, harness, saddlery, iron ore, milk and cream, potatoes, salt, swine, corn, cornmeal, cotton bagging, agricultural implements, leather, wood pulp, bibles, printing paper not worth more than 2 1/2 cents per pound, typewriters, sewing machines, type-setting machines, cash registers, steel rails, fence wire, cotton ties, nails, hoop and band iron, fish, sulphur, soda, tanning materials, acetic and sulphuric acids, borax, lumber products, including broom-handles, clapboards, hubs for wheels, posts, laths, pickets, staves, shingles.

These principal items are taken from the free list and taxed:

Rough and uncut diamonds and precious stones, furs, coal tar products, 10 per cent; volatile oils, 20 per cent;

spices, from one cent to two cents per pound.

The Old and the New Rates
Chairman Underwood of the ways and means committee, in his statement accompanying the new tariff bill, gave the following comparative table, to show reductions in tariff duties made up on necessities. In each item, both the present tariff and the proposed tariff had been reduced to an ad valorem basis.

	Present	Proposed Rate
Cream of tartar	25.45	17.55
Medicinal prep.	59.00	31.11
Castor oil	31.19	19.00
Wash blue	23.30	15.00
Salt peter	3.27	8.57
Common soap	20.00	5.00
Saleratus or bicarbonate of soda	21.54	8.50
Salt soda, washing		

soda	20.03	16.25
Borax, refined	21.22	1.31
China and crockery not decorated	9.17	5.99
Grindstones	25.07	35.00
Bicycles	3.21	8.33
Pocket knives	12.10	20.00
Razors	23.35	35.00 & 55.00
Scissors & shears	32.17	30.00
Knives & forks	41.38	27.00
Furniture	22.00	15.00
Cutlery	27.07	10.00
Mararano, etc.	34.25	23.31
Rice, cleaned	4.05	33.33
Eggs	20.38	14.23
Stocks, etc.	24.41	27.58
Mineral waters	43.55	30.00
Spool thread	22.95	15.00
Cotton cloth	12.74	26.65
Cotton clothing	20.60	30.00
Stockings, hose and half-hose		
veiled	15.38	50.00
Men's and boys' work		
gloves	59.17	35.00
Kilt shirts, drawers, etc. and underwear	16.27	25.00
Collars and cuffs	49.10	25.00
Blankets	12.69	25.00
Flannel	33.29	30.00
Clothing, ready-made	70.55	35.00
Women's and children's dress goods	93.70	35.00
Sewing silk	25.00	15.00
Wrapping paper	35.00	25.00
Books	15.00	15.00
Brooms	40.00	15.00
Matches	27.59	14.00
Harness and saddlery other than leather	35.00	20.00
India rubber, manufactures of	35.00	10.00
Lead pencils	59.00	25.00

The new rates are estimated to reduce the customs revenue approximately \$30,000,000 a year. This is expected to be made up by the income tax.

Endorsed by President Wilson, the measure represents the efforts of the president and the house tariff makers to carry into effect democratic pledges of downward revision and of concessions to the American consumer.

Protection to the farmer would be cut throughout by more than 50 per cent in an effort to reduce the cost of food.

Protection to the steel and implement manufacturer would in turn be cut by fully as wide a margin.

Heaviest reductions fall upon foodstuffs, agricultural products, woolen and cotton clothing.

The free wool proposal, backed by President Wilson and accepted by the house committee, is expected to produce the customs revenue approximately \$30,000,000 a year. This is expected to be made up by the income tax.

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For Constipation in Children

Anise is highly recommended. It is a perfectly safe, harmless and effective remedy, especially prepared for the little ones. It promptly removes all obstructions caused by errors in diet, acidity of the stomach and torpidity of the liver and bowels.

Anise relieves all the ordinary stomach, liver and bowel ailments of infants and children, teething troubles, etc. Get a bottle of it today. Sold by all druggists at 25c. Prepared only by C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

TOWN OF BILLERICA

Board of Selectmen Met Last Night

REPUBLICAN CLUB HELD MEETING AND ELECTED OFFICERS

N. A. McMillan, Superintendent of the Water Department, Asked for an Increase of \$400 a Year

The Billerica board of selectmen held a meeting in the town hall last night, with Messrs. Sanford, Sheridan and Wright present. James J. Fuller and Daniel Fitzpatrick were drawn as jurors to serve at this session of the superior court. The larger part of the meeting was taken up by approving bills. Two hundred and ten bills were approved last night, this being the largest number of bills ever brought before the present board of selectmen at one meeting. Three petitions from the New England Telephone and Telegraph company were read and laid on the table until the next meeting, which will take place on April 21. The first petition asked for four pole locations on Bridge road and Treble Cove road, and one pole between Treble Cove road and the residence of Mr. Kitchen. The poles are to carry two single wires or one paired wire and are to be at least 18 feet high. The second petition asked for the location of eight poles between the present line on Treble Cove road and the residence of Mr. Boratti, the poles to be the same as above. The petition asked for the location of three poles on Lowell street between Colson and Elm and six poles on Elm street between Lowell and Faulkner, the poles to be one paired cable and to be at least 18 feet high.

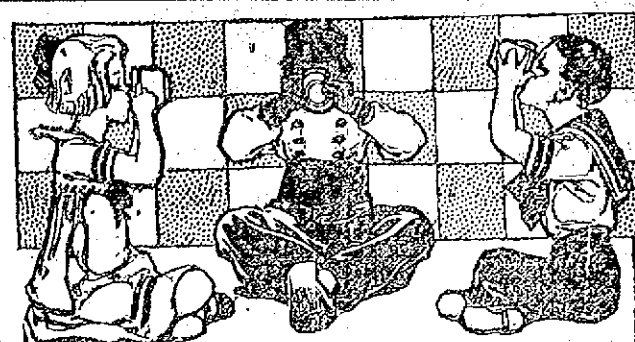
A special meeting of the board will be held on next Monday night to take up all unfinished business.

Lively Meeting of Water Board

The water board of the town of Billerica held a lively meeting in the town hall with all three members present. Mr. Sidney Bull was elected chairman of the board and Oliver Greenwood was chosen to act as clerk during the year. Mr. Norman A. McMillan, superintendent of the water department, presented a request for a raise in salary from \$1100 to \$1500 a year, as he expected that there would be more work during the present year than ever before. Messrs. Bull and Hopkinson favored the raise but it was strongly objected to by Mr. Twombly, the other member of the board, as no arrangements had been made for the extra expense during the coming year and the expenses of the board last year were fully as much as the amount received. After considerable discussion the matter was placed on file and probably will be taken up at the next meeting.

Republican Club Meets

The Billerica Republican club held its semi-annual meeting and election of officers in their hall last night. There was a large attendance. During the past year the clubhouse has been locked during the day and no members with the exception of the executive board, were given authority to enter except at night. This matter was taken up and discussed at some length, the members finally deciding to refer



Half pound tins 25c

Also in 10c tins

VAN HOUTEN'S

RONA

IMPORTED DUTCH

COCOA

Wherever children we may spy

From East to West, from North to South

Our Hans is in the public eye,

Our Rona's in the public mouth.

Then hail to "Hans Across The Sea."

The children's Benefactor he!

NARROW ESCAPE

AUTO TURNED TURTLE ON LOWELL ROAD

One of the Occupants Slightly Injured—Automobile is a Total Wreck

Alderman Amos J. Wheeler and Fred Landry, both of Nashua, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday, when the automobile in which they were riding turned turtle on the Lowell road near Nashua.

The alderman and Mr. Landry were coming to Lowell late yesterday afternoon with the former at the wheel. In order to avoid a collision with Emilio Chagnon's car on turning a curve, the big car was steered to one side and skidded, turning turtle and throwing the occupants to the ground. Mr. Wheeler escaped without injury, while Mr. Landry was seated at the rear end of the car, was thrown with force. He was removed to Dr. Shear's office. His right hand and right hip were injured. The car is a total wreck.

BEST AND HEALTH TO MOTHER AND CHILD.

Mrs. Winston's SORORING SYRUP has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is a wholly harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winston's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-cent bottle.

Tomorrow, Wednesday, April 9, Will Be Opening Day

George Fairburn's

NEW MODEL MEAT AND PROVISION MARKET

12-14 Merrimack Square

YOU ARE INVITED TO INSPECT A MODEL, MODERN, UP-TO-DATE MARKET IN EVERY RESPECT. A MARKET THAT IS PERFECT.

IN SANITARY CONDITIONS.

The store is abundantly lighted, karbolith flooring, marble for meats, fish and vegetable display. Refrigerating pipes convey the cool air under and around the receptacles, which have glass housing. An efficient and courteous sales force to serve you. Our basement is equipped with all the latest methods of handling and caring for Meats, Poultry, Eggs, Fruits, Fish and Vegetables. It contains apartments, several in number, connected with trolley for all parts of the establishment. This floor runs from street to street, and gives ample room to care for many carloads of the necessities of life. The different storage rooms have perfect arrangements for maintaining the varied and desired temperature for the many articles of food.

Right On the Square

THE FISH DEPT.

Is one that has no equal in this city or perhaps in the country, for it is the largest and best variety of fish to be had in the market. Special fixtures have been made for keeping it always fresh and sweet by our cooling system and when on your tour of inspection do not forget to inspect this important display of sea food.

Every Convenience for Patrons

Step Out of the Store and On the Car

THE VERY BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS IN MEATS, VEGETABLES, FRUIT, FISH, EGGS, ETC., AND PERFECT CLEANLINESS IN HOUSING AND HANDLING. COME TO THIS MODEL MARKET.

HOUSE GALLERIES WERE CROWDED

Wives, Families and Friends of House Members Hear President Read Message

WASHINGTON, April 8.—President Wilson reverted today to the custom of a century ago in reviving the precedent by which congress heard from the lips of the chief executive of the country his message to the national legislature.

Two motives influenced Mr. Wilson to decide to read in person his first communication to congress—the customary way in which presidential messages usually were received, accompanied as they have been by the drone of a clerk's voice and empty seats and Mr. Wilson's desire that every member should hear his appeal for a thorough revision of the tariff, the sole purpose for which congress was called into extraordinary session.

Official Washington was feeling for the unusual event with a peculiar amount of curiosity than of criticism. Sentiment as to the political wisdom of the move had hardly crystallized as the procedure of the early days was only a historical record so far as the modern legislator was concerned. Senators and representatives acknowledged the constitutional right of the president to read his own message in the halls of congress and by concurrent regulation arranged to gather in the house chamber at one o'clock.

The president's message itself was about 1200 words long when he first prepared it but in view of the changed circumstances he has added a preface but his entire speech was of less than 15 minutes' reading.

The president had several engagements and a cabinet meeting to occupy him before his departure for the capitol. He planned to be away from the White House for only half an hour.

The house galleries were packed with the wives, families and friends of senators and representatives. Two hours before the president was scheduled to appear, Admiral Lowey was escorted to a seat on the floor of the house, taking advantage for the first time of the privilege extended him by congress when he returned triumphant from Manila bay in 1898. He called on Speaker Clark and was cheered as he entered the chamber.

Members of the diplomatic corps and the private gallery, allotted to them, were also present. Three-fourths of the privileged persons in the galleries were women.

Speaker Clark had among his guests in the speaker's gallery Mrs. Victor Mordock, wife of the new progressive leader in the house; Mrs. A. M. Palmer

DAY OF PAINTED INDIANS IS PAST

People of Good Taste Avoid Gaudiness of Any Kind.

Porcelain Preferable to Gold in Making Crowning Teeth.

No white man ever envied an Indian with his gaudy, painted coat of myriad colors. In his vanity this early, uncivilized inhabitant of America would strut about streaked at every possible point of his anatomy with some section of the rainbow and every stripe added to what he had made him just a little bit more of a "high muck-a-muck" with his tribesmen.

But as noon as he got "wise" his paint-pot was laid aside, the paint hardened and the brush steeled beyond use. The red man then became civilized; and the only painted Indian you see today is in the show business, and he paints for so much per week, like the clown or soubrette.

The trend of civilization, of refinement is away from anything gaudy or loudly ornamental. There are people today, the best, who would paint like an Indian as readily as they would permit of allowing a dentist to place a shining gold crown in a prominent part of their mouth. They demand porcelain where a new tooth or two is needed to complete the comeliness of their teeth and mouth. I practice extensively, every branch of modern dentistry, and specialize in porcelain teeth that are absolutely natural. Dr. Gagnon, "We are Specialists," No. 460 Merrimack street, opposite Tilden.

CUSTOMS FRAUD CASE

The Federal Grand Jury Began Investigation

BOSTON, April 8.—The federal grand jury began today an investigation of the alleged smuggling conspiracy at this port through which it is claimed the government has been defrauded of many thousands of dollars.

Several customs employees described the routine of the work on the piers explaining to the jury the system of baggage inspection.

Nicholas Schramm and his wife, Mrs. Lena Bradley Schramm, were held in bail of \$500 and \$1,000 respectively as witnesses today and it was expected they would be called before the jury during the day.

Terrence Shevlin, a customs employee, his wife, and Miss Kate Brennan, a dressmaker of New York, are charged with sharing in the conspiracy.

THE LOWELL GUILD

Milk Station Has Already Started Work

The monthly meeting of the council of the Lowell Guild was held yesterday afternoon at the Guild house, 17 Dutton street. Reports for the month of March were heard. Miss Moore, superintendent, reported 203 milk station calls and 1100 calls made by the district nurses, making a total of 1303 calls during the month. A registry of nurses is kept at the Guild house so that any one needing a nurse may obtain the names of nurses who are at liberty by telephoning 2124.

Tuberculosis class meets every other Thursday evening. Dr. Kearney in charge. Girls' club meets every Wednesday evening.

Mothers' meeting on March 20th, was very well attended. Through the kindness of Dr. Clark of the Lowell hospital, a pupil nurse has been sent to the Lowell Guild, which is greatly appreciated.

This Is Fashion Week

Visit us and make your selection of your New Spring Coat, Waist, Suit, Dress or Skirt.

1500 Coats on sale this morning in a limitless variety. The most handsome selection ever shown in Lowell—Eponges, Serges, Bedford Cords, Shepherd Checks and Stripes. Come in and see them; it will be a treat. Special prices all this week. Smart styles.

—AT—

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and Mrs. Pitzer, sister of Mrs. Clark and her daughter.

So unusual was the event that Superintendent Woods of the capitol installed a moving picture camera to take moving pictures of the extraordinary scene. The films will be preserved as a historic record of the day's proceedings.

After the house had been called to order Speaker Clark announced that the president would be received by a committee of three and would enter the house chamber by the rear door at the left of the speaker's table. He appointed Ross, Underwood, Palmer and Mann. The chair would address the members," said Speaker Clark, "unless otherwise directed by the president to keep their seats during the delivery of his message and until he has departed. If the president should desire to shake hands with you before he goes I suggest you pass by him at the right of the rostrum and then into the lobby to avoid congestion."

The hour for the joint session was set for 12:30 o'clock and about that time the senate moved over to the house chamber and occupied the front row of seats.

About the same time the cabinet meeting at the White House adjourned and the president got ready to go to the capitol. Before the senate could join the house, however, it had to turn back its clock twenty minutes to permit a large number of bills and petitions to be presented. President Wilson started from the White House at 12:15.

At 12:50 Vice-President Marshall and members of the senate got seated in the house chamber. President Wilson reached the speaker's office at 12:55 o'clock.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of John F. Riley to Lillian R. Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Burns of 44 Barclay street, took place last evening at St. Peter's parochial residence at 3 o'clock. The marriage was performed by Rev. Fr. Heffernan. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel Burns, and the groom by Mr. John Guerin, cousin of the bride. After visiting Boston, Worcester and Ware, Mass., the happy couple will reside in East Merrimack street.

NAUUT-BEAULIEU

A pretty marriage was solemnized this morning, when William Nauit and Miss Marie Louise Beaulieu were united in the bonds of matrimony, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at seven o'clock at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Alphonsus Naudin, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Pierre Beaulieu, and the bridegroom by his father, Mr. Bedson Nauit. Little Alice Beaulieu acted as flower girl. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride party repaired to the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gedson Nauit, 20 Canby street, where a wedding dinner was served. This evening a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, 1 Beclon place, and will be attended by a number of members of Co. C, M. V. M., of which the bridegroom is musician. The happy couple who were the recipients of many costly gifts will make their home at 29 Canby street. Attending the wedding were friends and relatives from Dover, N. H., Wilmington and Haverhill.



SUCH IS LOVE.
Jack—I'm awfully in love with Kitty, but wouldn't have her know it for the world.
Fred—So she told me.

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CHANGES IN THE RULES

Of Senate Considered by Democrats

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Changes in the rules of the senate advanced by the democratic leaders of that body as designed to make the senate more thoroughly "democratic in fact," were subjects of consideration for a caucus of party members called for late today.

The changes as prepared by Senator Kern, the democratic leader, propose to divert committee chairmen of much of their power of control over legislation and to give to the majority party in the senate general control over the selections of committee members. It is proposed to adopt the new principles as representing the sentiment of the democratic majority by which the senate leaders will be guided, even though the provisions should not be incorporated in the rules of the senate.

Condition of Winter Wheat
WASHINGTON, April 8.—The average condition of winter wheat on April 1 was 41.9 per cent of a normal compared with 50.6 last year. There was a decline of 1.5 points from Dec. 1 to April 1, compared with an average decline of 3.5 points in the past 10 years.

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NOT ALLOWED TO "TIP"

The Government Will Not Stand Expense

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Lieut. Col. J. F. Reynolds Landis, United States military attaché at Rome, tipped the doorkeeper of the American embassy in the Eternal city, only to find that his government would not stand the expense. Each of three quarterly accounts of the officer contained \$1.93 for these tips. Comptroller of the Treasury Tracywood today held that gratuities to a doorkeeper were not allowable.



Wife—Why don't you make a hot speech against the trust?
Husband—The public wouldn't believe I meant it, and the trusts rebuke.

Parents, Read this Letter!

I have a letter from a prominent Maine clergyman in regard to sickness of one of his children from which I quote as follows: "Our two-year-old baby was very sick at two different times and we came near losing her. We had the best doctors, but they did not know what the trouble was. In the first sickness she had high fever for several days, and the doctor said it acted like scarlet fever, but there were no other cases he did not think it could be. Afterwards she broke out in a rash all over her body. The last sickness was similar and the doctor was puzzled. She was very nervous and we feared we would lose her. Your Dr. True's Elixir was recommended, and after two days' use she passed several worms from two to three inches in length, and is now well and strong and sleeps at nights without fretting, tossing and starting in a fright as she did formerly."

I will be glad to furnish this clergyman's name and address to anyone who cares to write to me.

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BESIEGED BY OFFICE SEEKERS

Secretary of Treasury McAdoo Obligated to Flee From Job Hunters

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Besieged hours was the financial center of the United States while the secretary and his clerk worked through the week of correspondence and public business that had piled up. It also developed that Mr. McAdoo and his personal attendant made their escape from the treasury building by a back door and slipping stealthily into a waiting taxicab were whisked off before the small army of office-seekers could get into action.

BILLERICA MAN HELD IN \$1000

For Breaking Into Summer Camps After Serving Three Years for Same Offense

William Cahill, charged with twenty odd counts, was in police court this morning for a preliminary hearing. Cahill pleaded guilty to all the various complaints charging him with breaking into 23 camps along the Merrimack river, most of which are located in Billerica. Officer Conway of the Billerica police, made the arrest and had several witnesses at the Market street station this morning.

Three years ago Cahill was arrested at practically the same spot where he was apprehended yesterday, and for similar offenses. He was taken before the superior court at the criminal session and Judge Bond sent him away to the house of correction for a term of four years. After serving nearly three years he was released and immediately started back for his old stamping ground and began the same work of breaking into summer camps all over again.

Cahill would enter a camp and take whatever he thought he would need to either feed or clothe himself but refrained from taking anything to sell. He seemed to feel as though it was much easier to go along in this world without working for a living, but never had any money nor did he seem to want it. His actions have caused doubts to be entertained at police headquarters as to his sanity. His case was put over for the next session of the criminal high court in June. Cahill being turned over to Sheriff Eveleth as he was not able to meet his bail of \$1000. His case is one of the peculiar that the local police have handled in years.

Neighbors in Squabble
The Flanagan and the Haydens, both inhabitants of Cady street, demonstrated how easy it is for two families to allow their children to get them into trouble. Three complaints were the result of little Eddie Flanagan being pushed or thrown down in his yard some two weeks ago. One complaint charged Mary H. Hayden with assault and battery on Edward Flanagan, another accused Patrick F. Flanagan, Edward's father, with assault and battery upon Mary H. Hayden, while the last complaint alleged that John H. Hayden, William Hayden and Martin Hayden, the husband and two sons of the complainant, had committed assault and battery upon Patrick Flanagan.

Edward Flanagan, another Flanagan family, while Attorney Joseph O'Connor upheld the rights of the Haydens. The case had only got fairly started when court was adjourned until this afternoon.

Beer Party Broken Up
A beer party, which Officers Clark

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OBSERVING THE CITY CHARTER

For some time past there has been considerable talk throughout the city in reference to the charge that Commissioner Brown exceeded his appropriation as head of the street department last year and at the request of numerous citizens Mayor O'Donnell has brought the charge to the attention of the district attorney as a matter of official duty.

Towards the close of the year it was known that Mr. Brown had exhausted his funds while a large number of the department bills remained unpaid, but the total amount of these bills was not known until a couple of weeks ago when Commissioner Danelly, now in charge of the street department, submitted to the municipal council a list of the unpaid street bills received for last year. The municipal council has the matter of payment under consideration; but Mayor O'Donnell states that the only way the bills can now be met is by a loan which would thus force the city to resort once more to the discredited and discredited policy of borrowing to meet current expenses. Moreover, the fact that these bills were not paid off monthly as they came due, has placed the city in the attitude of refusing to meet its obligations with business-like promptness.

Now as to the responsibility for this state of affairs, the charter provision fixes that so clearly that there can be no evasion. It rests entirely with Commissioner Brown.

Section 25 of the city charter says: "Each commissioner shall have full power to carry out the policies, or to have the work performed in his department as directed by the municipal council."

It is an admitted fact that each commissioner has full power and authority to direct the work and the general expenditures of the departments to which he is assigned and for which he is held responsible. The municipal council as a body is in no degree responsible for Commissioner Brown's individual acts. For the proper discharge of his duties the city pays the head of the street department the sum of \$3500 annually. For this amount the incumbent is expected to show such business sagacity as will protect the interests of the city, financially and otherwise; but it appears that Commissioner Brown failed to arrange the expenditures of his department so that the funds specially set apart therefor would cover the entire year and pay all the bills he contracted. The result is a situation that reflects upon our city and that leaves the commissioner open to the charge of exceeding his appropriation which under the new charter is made a criminal offense.

Section 23 of the city charter says: "No officer of said city (Lowell), except in the case of extreme emergency involving the health and safety of the people or their property, shall expend knowingly in any fiscal year any sum in excess of the appropriation therefor, duly made in accordance with law; and any officer who shall violate this provision shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than one year or by both such fine and imprisonment."

This provision of the charter is so plain that there is no mistaking its meaning. Furthermore, it was framed for the purpose of putting a stop to the ruinous custom that prevailed under the old charter, of spending the appropriation in the first ten months of the year and calling for a loan to carry on the work for the balance of the year. There is no other single point of municipal administration upon which the charter is more specific or more emphatic.

Mr. Brown cannot plead any "extreme emergency" involving the health or the safety of the people or their property" for there was none that could justify his course. Had there been such an emergency he would surely have brought it to the attention of the municipal board.

On the other hand it is impossible to conceive that he would be ignorant of the fact that he was exceeding his appropriation. He must have known the amount of bills contracted, yet he went on leaving them unpaid till the end of the year and now they come as an obligation for which the city must add to its indebtedness.

He was a candidate for re-election at the December election in 1912 and his political fortunes might have been seriously affected if he had suspended work in the street department at that particular time. Was that the reason why he left so many bills unpaid?

Moreover on the hustings he claimed to have saved a large sum by his administration that year; but he did not mention the amount of the bills left unpaid.

The state of affairs here described certainly justified the other commissioners in removing Mr. Brown from the street department and assigning him to a different department this

year, although he vigorously protested that the change was unfair and that the people elected him to continue in charge of the street department, a statement for which there was no foundation. The people did not know the facts last December and, moreover, the assignment of departments is made by the municipal council, not by the people at the polls.

Had any of the other commissioners followed such a policy in regard to the charter, we believe Mr. Brown would have promptly called him to account; for he is quite insistent that the others live up to the letter of the law as laid down in the charter, while he, himself, appears to disregard some of its most important provisions. Because it was Commissioner Brown who failed to live up to the charter there seems to be a tendency to overlook the matter; but of what use is the charter if it can be violated with impunity? If Mr. Brown can do so, why not Mayor O'Donnell, Mr. Barrett or any of the other commissioners? If he could violate the charter in 1912 without being called to account for his action, why not also in 1913?

So far as we are able to learn Mr. Brown's only explanation of this disregard of the provision of the charter is that he did not spend as much money for the street department in 1912 as had been spent the previous year, that the greater part of his appropriation was paid for bills of 1911. But this has absolutely nothing to do with the case. It was not a criminal offense to exceed appropriations under the old charter. We are living under a new charter that went into effect in 1912. We are trying to overcome the abuses and the extravagance that prevailed under the old system, yet Commissioner Brown who was elected as one of five men to carry out the provisions of that charter, according to Mayor O'Donnell's letter to the district attorney, is charged with violating one of its most imperative and most important mandates.

The citizens who must be taxed for an extra loan to pay Brown's back bills as commissioner of streets will be anxious to learn through the proposed court proceedings by the district attorney, the real cause of Mr. Brown's irregularity and whether it was from incompetency, indifference or to strengthen his political prospects at the municipal election last December. Undoubtedly there is an element in Lowell that does not want economy and that does not want the provisions of the charter complied with if that would restrict any commissioner in providing soft jobs with good wages for a number of people who seem to think that the city owes them a living.

The money that Mr. Brown paid out for various unnecessary positions should have been used to pay some of the overdue bills. But that such official recklessness should be condoned by a large section of our people is to be sincerely regretted. It is certainly condemned by every intelligent citizen of Lowell who has the interests of our city at heart; and unless something be done not only to bring Mr. Brown to a realization of the true state of affairs and to prevent anything of the kind in the future, our new charter will fail to bring the results expected in better government, a lower tax rate and more general prosperity for all the people. It would not be to our credit to let such conduct or mismanagement on the part of any public official go uncensured or unpunished no matter how many political heaters might applaud his action. That is another reason why Mayor O'Donnell's action in bringing the matter to the attention of the district attorney is to be commended. The outcome will show whether Commissioner Brown is guilty of the charge of violating the charter and if so to what extent; and it will also remind him and other officials that the provisions of the charter must be strictly complied with.

SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT
Let's see. Is Ex-President Taft out in Africa killing lions and elephants, striking imposing postures before the camera, and flashing his marvelous exploits over a wondering world? No. Is he marching victoriously through Europe, dining with Emperors and dictating to kings as to how they should rule their foreign possessions? No. Where, then, is he?

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

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Not Tolerated

Lawrence American: The strikers now declare that they will not return to work until the prison doors are open and Haywood comes out a free man, no matter whether the manufacturers grant their other demands or not. Thus they directed against the state as well as against the manufacturers. But the state won't be affected. Haywood and others of his kind must be taught the lesson that the state is supreme; that there are regular channels through which reforms may be obtained and that direct methods, involving death and the destruction of property, will not be tolerated in this country.

Only 73,000

Salem News: Dayton, O., bread line drops down to 73,000 people. But this is an army—an army of men, women and children to whom the destructive forces of nature have brought varying degrees of losses, distresses and privations. Even though the waters are subsiding, and the revised mortality roll reveals a big falling off from the original reports, the spectacle of 73,000 people making up a bread line in one of the devastated cities can be nothing if not pathetic. Meanwhile, the need of food, money and supplies in the stricken sections is pronounced—a fact which the charitably inclined can well ponder, if they have not already contributed to any of the funds for relief of sufferers.

The Mute Uplift

Portland Express: The record of the past few years has been one in which people of Maine could take no pride, because official neglect of duty has been manifest in many quarters. The fact that the time has come when a halt to these lawless proceedings has been called, and that men elected and sworn to perform certain duties will be shortly held to account if they neglect those duties, is a matter for sincere congratulation. Officials' faith-

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Flags

Woonsocket Call: Rhode Island might as well have a law forbidding the carrying of flags which are calculated to stir up breaches of the peace. No political flag threatening American institutions has any right. No good American travels under such an emblem. We have seen in the affairs of the I. W. W. what these cloths lead to.

APRIL FOOL PARTY

Successful Event Conducted at First Congregational Church Last Evening—Large Attendance

A delightful April fool party was held last night in the vestry of the First Congregational church. The affair, which was largely attended, was conducted under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., and was very successful, the evening providing great amusement for the large attendance.

April fool games of all descriptions were enjoyed, and the affair closed with the serving of a dainty luncheon. Those responsible for the success of the soiree were: Miss Irene Cockerline, chairman; Misses Mildred McKnight and Dorothy Wallingford, Mrs. Melvin, Mrs. Staples and Messrs. Wilbur, Richardson, Harold McKnight, Winifred and Donald Hanson.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Recently the annual Easter sale and supper of the James A. Garfield Relief Corps was held in Post 120 hall with great success. Mrs. Estline E. Parker had general supervision of the affair and conducted it in a most satisfactory manner. The supper was served from 5 to 7 p. m. and was in charge of Mrs. L. A. Jackson in the kitchen assisted by Mrs. Alma Kilpatrick, Miss Mary Shirley, Mrs. Linda Wilkins, Mrs. Josephine Worden and Mrs. C. E. Brackett.

The dining room was managed by Mrs. Mary E. Offutt, assisted by Mrs. Laura Coburn, Mrs. Carrie Storm, Miss Scottie West, Miss Gladys Storm, Mrs. Martha Hubbard, Mrs. Jessie Carter, Mrs. Elsie Truhey.

The fancy table was under the care of Mrs. Annie E. Tuttle, chairman with Mrs. Anna Cheney and Mrs. Juliette Blood assistants; candy table, Miss Helen Smith; mystery table, Mrs. Alice Phelps, chairman, Mrs. Florence McNamee, assistant; apron table, Mrs. Martha Lyle.

On April 15 a patriotic evening will be held under the auspices of the relief corps and the principal speaker will be Hon. J. B. Lewis of Boston, a well known orator. There will be a whist party on April 12.

The Merrimack Valley Past Noble Grand's association will meet Friday afternoon, April 11, in Odd Fellows hall, Andover.



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BUFFALO CAR STRIKE

Effort to Break it by Imported Men

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE HAD TO WALK

Stone Throwing Was Indulged When Cars Left Barnes—Company Uncompromising

BUFFALO, April 8.—The attempt made by the International R. R. Co. today to break the strike of motormen and conductors on the city and suburban lines by the use of imported strike-breakers was only partially successful and thousands of people were again compelled to walk from their homes to the business section of the city. Less than 25 per cent. of the normal amount of traffic was handled and only one out of the six East Side lines was in operation. The Niagara Falls and Lockport branch was tied up.

P. J. Downey of the board of mediation and arbitration, state department of labor, conferred with the railway officials today and will meet the strike leaders this afternoon. The strikers are said to be in a conciliatory mood but the railroad officials are uncompromising.

There was some stone throwing when the cars left the various yards on their first trips today and some overhead wires in the Black Rock section were pulled down.

POPE SUFFERED RELAPSE

The Pontiff is Very Feverish

ROME, April 8.—Pope Pius suffered a severe relapse last night. He was very feverish, his temperature rising to 100 degrees. Prof. Ettore Marchesani was with him for an hour. After a thorough examination he insisted that the pontiff still take complete repose and forbade him even to receive the usual daily report on Vatican affairs.

Although the pope's temperature had diminished somewhat during the forenoon he remained in bed by the doctor's orders. The only persons besides the physicians who were permitted to see the pope were Cardinal Merry Del Val, papal secretary of state and the sisters and a niece of the pontiff.

No official bulletin has been issued today concerning the pope's condition, but a report is in circulation that the relapse he suffered last night was due to an affection of the kidneys.

In connection with the relapse suffered by the pope it is reported that in consequence of the two lengthy receptions of pilgrims given by him yesterday, which obliged the pontiff to remain for several hours without moving, he was overcome by fatigue, and the course of the evening he suffered a slight fainting fit. Dr. Andrea Amiel, who was in attendance had him put to bed and injected a strengthening remedy. After a few minutes the pope recovered consciousness and spoke to those surrounding him.

By the doctor's instructions the pope will remain in bed, suspending all his usual occupations until further orders.

MORMONS IN VERMONT

Arrange to Hold Meetings at Birthplace of Joseph Smith, at Sharon, Vt.

SHARON, Vt., April 8.—Mormons have made arrangements to hold many mid-summer meetings at the birthplace of Joseph Smith in this town. Pilgrims from Utah and other distant points to the site of the Smith home are expected and it is believed the gathering of Mormon elders will be the largest in Vermont in many years.

One of the principal meetings will be held on June 27, the anniversary of the death of Prophet Smith at the hands of a mob at Carthage, Mo. The body of the leader was buried in Vermont.

LEAGUE GAMES ROLLED

Interesting Matches on

Alleys Last Night

Two games in the Saco-Lowell league, one in the Helms Electric-U. S. Cart-ridge league and a matched game between a picked team from the Helms works and a team from the Waterhead mills was the list of last night's bowling. All of the games were well rolled.

The Klitsons defeated the Foundry rollers by the close score of 1318 to 1205. S. Cart-ridge won the match by taking the last string by 14 pins, overcoming a two-pin lead in this string. Conley's total of 299 was high.

In the other Saco-Lowell league game the Draftsmen beat out the Shipyard by exactly the same margin as the Klitsons possessed over the Foundry team. The Draftsmen lost the last two strings of the match, but had lead enough from the first to carry them through a winner. O'Neill was high man with a total of 270.

The Climax five were too strong for the Ajax team in their Helms Electric-U. S. Cart-ridge league contest, winning the match by the score of 1352 to 1201. The Climax rollers won each of the three strings. Schonborn was high man with a total of 305 for his three strings.

The five bowlers from the Waterhead mills met defeat at the hands of the team which was picked from the Helms Electric works, losing their match by the score of 1301 to 1259. The winners pulled ahead from their opponents in the last string, having lost the first two by close scores. Coughlin of the winners was high with a mark of 293 for his 30 boxes.

The scores and summaries of the various games follow in detail:

Saco-Lowell League
Klitsons: Kelley, 280; McNulty, 240; Harrall, 263; Langevin, 256; Conley, 299. Total, 1318.

Foundry: Marshall, 243; Demers, 242; Finerty, 257; Proux, 268; Clark, 237. Total, 1287.

Draftsmen: Seales, 259; Woodman, 262; Dana, 255; Goodchild, 253; Silcox, 268. Total, 1297.

Shippers: Beaubien, 254; Boardman, 256; Wadsworth, 250; O'Neill, 270; Welton, 243. Total, 1255.

Helms Electric-U. S. C. League.
Ajax: Gleason, 267; Doyle, 245; Calvert, 243; Donahue, 259; Arnold, 300. Total, 1314.

Climax: Pearson, 242; Freeman, 261; Doyle, 265; Quirk, 292; Schonborn, 305. Total, 1365.

Waterheads vs. Helms
Waterhead: England, 249; Hartley, 241; Ellis, 256; Clough, 254; McElroy, 259. Total, 1259.

Helms Picked Team: Seully, 248; Sill, 231; Lano, 228; Coughlin, 274; Coughlin, 293. Total, 1301.

SONDER YACHT SERIES
The International Event to be Held At Marblehead Beginning August 10

BOSTON, April 8.—The conditions governing the fifth international sonder yacht series between Germany and America to be held off Marblehead next fall were announced today. They follow closely those governing the previous races at Kiel and Marblehead.

Entries for the American trial races to be held at Marblehead beginning August 16 will close on July 12.

There will be at least five races in the international contest for President Wilson and Gov. Ross cups. The trophies are to be awarded on points.

CRIMES ON RUBBER FIELDS

Investigation of Atrocities in Peru

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day before the committee investigating the atrocities on the Putumayo rubber fields in Peru. Senhor Arana, who is president of the Peruvian Amazon Co., admitted in his testimony that the forced labor of the Indians revealed in a book written by an American civil engineer and in the consular reports was true but declared that the cruelties had been exaggerated. He asserted that he and the British directors of the company were ignorant of the conditions prevailing in the rubber fields until they learned of them through the consular reports. He said the guilty parties were employees of the company.

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BIDS

For the refreshment privileges at Spaulding park for the season of 1913 will be received at the baseball office, Hildreth building. Bids close April 15th at 3 p. m. Andrew P. Roche, President Lowell Baseball Club.

and one of the greatest throwers in the game, had an experience much like that of Slovall the previous year. Birmingham was selected as temporary leader of the Naps when Harry Davis threw up the sponge in disgust. Under Birmingham's administration the Blue pulled themselves together and made a strong finish.

Birmingham has never been thoroughly put to the test, but Charlie Soxens this time has decided to leave good enough alone and will do no more experimenting just at present. Birmingham will at least start the season in command.

A Little Manager's Big Job

A pure manager is Miller Huggins in St. Louis. He succeeds Roger Bres

his son, two Americans, and a Chinese were killed by falling walls. The fire started in a small dwelling and destroyed 25 structures. There was no water available.

Umpires Assigned

CHICAGO, April 5.—President Johnson of the American League announced last night the following assignment of umpires for the opening games of the season:

At Cleveland, O'Loughlin and Ferguson; at St. Louis, Evans and Hildebrand; at Boston, Dineen and Hart; and at Washington, Connelly and McGreevy.

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BOY KILLED WHILE AT PLAY

Five Year Old South Boston Boy
Accidentally Killed by Cousin
of Same Age

BOSTON, April 8.—Five-year-old George E. Dowling, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Dowling, 291 street, South Boston, was shot and instantly killed by a bullet from a revolver fired by Thomas Dowling, also 5 years old, at the home of the latter, 405 East Third street, yesterday afternoon.

Shooting Was Accidental.
The shooting was accidental, the boys, who were cousins and chums, having found the weapon under the bed of Edward Dowling, father of Thomas, and the latter was "showing" how to shoot it when the gun exploded and little George fell to the floor with the top of his head nearly blown off.

The boy who did the shooting was not even detained by the police because of the well-established principle of the criminal law that "a person under the age of 7 years is conclusively presumed to be incapable of committing a crime."

The boys were alone in the house at the time of the fatality. Despite his youth, Thomas apparently realized the enormity of the act, and hastened to

the street to tell what had happened. He made known the facts in an immediate way to Arthur Dennison, John G. Lynch and James Burke, who rushed into the house to where the little boy-injured lay in a pool of blood. The big revolver, with its attractive pearl handle, lay nearby, and at first it was thought the boy had shot himself. A cursory examination by Patrolman Perry Easton, elicited the information, however, that Thomas held the gun when the shot was fired.

WOMEN'S CLUB

BUILD APRIL BUSINESS MEETING YESTERDAY

And Voted to Change Date of Annual Year—Gift to the Club from Miss Whittier

At the regular April business meeting of the Middlesex Women's club held yesterday afternoon the re-organization of the executive council that the annual year of the club date from May 1 to May 1, instead of from the

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attendants, in the Elliot school basement; all of the expenses of the Palace street playground, were paid; it provided a supervisor and two assistants for the Greenlake school playground; it paid for an extra assistant at the South common; and about \$40 was spent for material for the industrial work. The college club was responsible for a French speaking supervisor at the Alton street playground.

Short papers were read on various features of the biennial meeting held in California last spring. The papers were by Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Grant and Miss Bessie Hadley.

WEDDED ANOTHER'S WIFE

Boston Man Wants N. Y.

Marriage Annulled

BOSTON, April 8.—George Loring of Boston wants his marriage to Mary Richards Loring annulled and filed a petition to that effect with the clerk of the Suffolk superior court yesterday. He alleges that he went through a marriage ceremony with her in New York city on April 11, 1907, which was performed by the Rev. Charles A. Helia, and that he lived with her till recently before discovering that she was married to another when the ceremony with him was performed.

He claims her husband is named Thomas McGowan and that she married McGowan at Concord, Mass. McGowan is supposed to be living now. Loring stated he lived with her in Boston, New York city, Cleveland and Indianapolis.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to those who by their acts of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful floral tributes helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in our recent bereavement. All will be held in loving remembrance.

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STABBED WITH PITCHFORK

Man Attacked Boy Who Snowballed Him

LYNN, April 8.—The fun of throwing snowballs in the heaviest April blizzard for many years was terminated suddenly yesterday for 12-year-old Gail W. Thompson, 92 Allen street, when he was stabbed in the back with a pitchfork in the hands of Charles Upham, caretaker of the Wyman estate on Beacon Hill avenue.

Upham said the boy hit him. Upham was arrested on a warrant sworn out by the father of the injured boy.

CARS TO REPAIR SHOPS

New Track to be Laid in Billerica

A party representing the Bay State, Boston & Maine and Lowell board of trade visited the site of the new repair shops in Billerica yesterday afternoon to see what method could be used to extend the electric car tracks to the shops. The party consisted of Engineer C. G. of the Boston & Maine, Engineer H. C. Packard of the Bay State with Superintendent H. C. Farrington and President George M. Harrison and H. P. Marden of the Lowell board of trade.

After going over the site the party found it possible to locate a single track from the main line between North Billerica and the Centre. The track to be about 3000 feet in length and end directly in front of the entrance to the shops. Later it may be possible to extend the tracks about 700 feet from the road, or within a few feet of the buildings, but as this land is owned by another corporation, nothing can be done at present.

WELCOME PARTY

COMMITTEE OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH MET

Roxbury People Will Be Honored by Residents of Collingsville—Affair Will Be Held on April 18

The members of St. Mary's parish, Collingsville, held an important meeting in Harmony hall Sunday afternoon. The purpose of which was to appoint a committee to look after arrangements for a welcome party to a large number of Long pond vacationists who showed their appreciation of Rev. Thomas A. Walsh's services as pastor of St. Mary's church, by conducting a successful party at Inter-colonial hall, Roxbury, for the benefit of the church.

The parishioners of St. Mary's church, wishing to pay these people a tribute in the form of a welcome party, met at the request of their pastor, and after receiving information relative to the gathering, elected Thomas Burke as chairman of the meeting. A committee was named and it was decided to hold the event at Harmony hall on April 18, the affair to be the line of a dancing party followed by a dinner.

Mr. Burke was chosen chairman of the general committee and general manager of the event. Others chosen were as follows: Miss Mary Burke, secretary; Patrick Meenan, chairman of dance committee; James Costello, chairman of supper; Patrick Whelan, general utility man; Michael and John Connelley, in charge of the hall; James Mooney and John McDonald, checkers; Michael Whelan, door; Miss Josephine Whelan, Mrs. Frank Gleason, Miss Anna Comeran, Miss Mary Riley and Miss Margaret Fogarty, assistants to Costello. The latter were assigned to various districts in the parish to solicit.

The meeting adjourned to Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

SEWER PETITIONS

COM. DONNELLY GAVE HEARINGS LAST NIGHT

Many Present in Favor of Lawrence Street Sewer Extension—U. S. Hunting Cricket Club a Petitioner

Commissioner James E. Donnelly gave hearings on a big list of sewer petitions at city hall last night. The petition of George W. Ingalls, et al, was to the effect that the Lawrence street sewer be extended from its present terminus at or near Roxbury street, to Boylston, Hampden and Dayton streets. Great stress was laid on the necessity of extending the Lawrence street sewer. Residents from across the Concord river were there to tell how bad are the conditions in their district. Others in favor of the petition included Harry Mulca, John Sullivan, Mr. Davis, Thomas Grimsshaw, Thomas Jones and Danase Laporte. They said that the Lawrence street sewer as it is at present is of no use whatever to the people across the Concord river and they urged that the sewer be extended.

Thomas McGurn and William Rutledge were opposed to the extension. George French appeared as favoring the extension of a sewer in Hawthorne street, 150 feet southward. There was no remonstrance.

On motion that a sewer be laid to Crain's premises in James street, John Racette appeared, and others who favored were Dr. Alford G. Payette and D. Comtels. No remonstrance.

Orchello O. Greenwood asked that a

sewer assessment on property in Willard street be abated. He said that he had paid \$700 already.

Geo. W. Flint asked that a sewer assessment of \$152.10 on Willard street be abated. He said the street is now like a lake. He had previously paid about \$420 for remote drainage.

On petition of the U. S. Hunting Cricket club that Crescent avenue be extended to land of the club and through land of Sarah Laporte, John W. McEvoy appeared for the club. He said the extension would not only meet with the approval of the club members, but with many other persons resident in the community. Danase Laporte and Captain Philip McNulty also favored.

Thomas Griffin et al, asked that a sewer be constructed in Dundee street, from Merrill avenue, a distance of about 290 feet. John E. Buchanan and J. J. Life favored, and there was no remonstrance.

Charles E. Blake et al, asked that a sewer be laid in Wilder street, from Parker street, southerly about 150 feet. Mr. Blake said the sewer is badly needed. Elzeaz Libenault was also in favor. No remonstrance.

Michael Kilmarth asked that a sewer assessment of \$11.58 for land in Burlington avenue be abated. He stated that he had already paid an assessment on remote drainage.

Caliste Leguin and D. Belleville appeared in favor of a sewer being laid in Fisher street. No remonstrance.

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TO BLOW UP CASTLE

Suffragettes Continue to Wreck Buildings

DUDLEY, England, April 8.—Militant suffragettes last night attempted to blow up the ruins of the historic Dudley castle, the home of which dates back to the eighth century, when the original stronghold was built by a Saxon prince. The whole of the inhabitants of the town were awakened by a loud explosion at midnight coming from the direction of the castle. A large force of local police was dispatched there and on searching the surrounding grounds found some chemicals and blasting powder that had failed to explode.

TYNGSBORO MEETING

Warrant Out For Meeting on April 12.—Calvin Austin's Gift of Land to Be Considered.

A town warrant has been issued by the selectmen of the town of Tyngsboro, calling for a town meeting to be held Saturday, April 12, at 7:45 p. m., to consider the question of the town accepting the gift of a strip of land south of the Union school grounds for public horse sheds; and to choose a committee to build said sheds and to raise and appropriate the money needed for this purpose; also to see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$400 for improving the streets, providing the state will furnish a similar amount of money. After the meeting there will be a hearing on the petition signed by Herbert L. Swallow and 16 others, on relocating the road abutting A. W. Swallow's land on the premises.

The strip of land for horse sheds is the gift of Calvin Austin, 130 feet by 30 feet.

ATTACHMENT FILED

Thomas Curry of Chelmsford Is Being Sued For \$1000 in an Action of Contract.

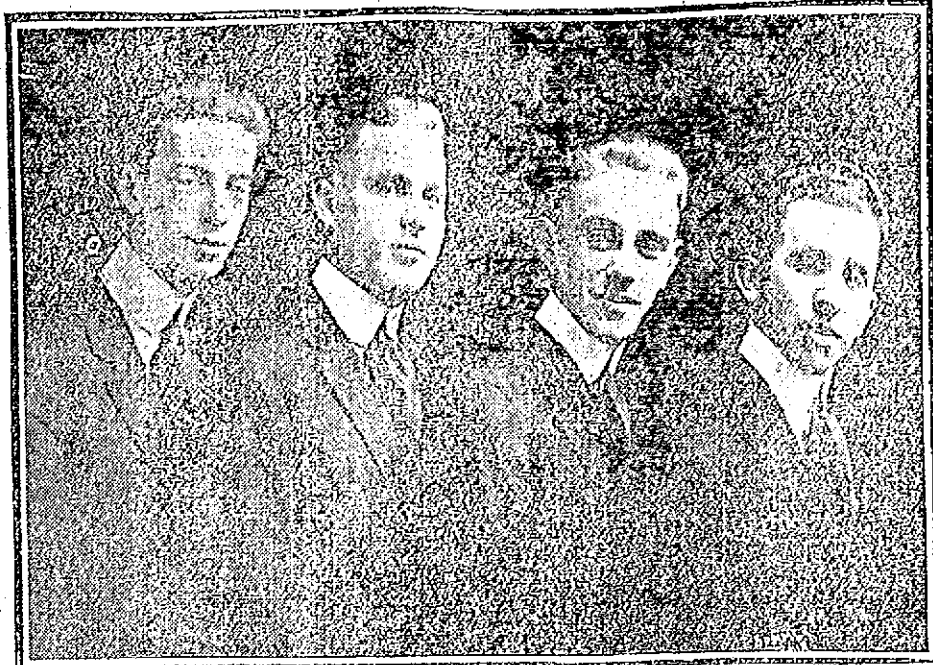
An attachment in the sum of \$1000 has been filed at the registry of deeds office against Thomas Curry of Chelmsford, in an action of contract brought by the William D. Proctor Co. of Chelmsford.

Card of Thanks

We wish to give our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors, and especially the employees of the Day State mills, for the kindness and sympathy shown to us in our hour of great sorrow, and we are grateful for the many spiritual offerings accorded to him, our beloved father, and our dear (Signed) Winifred, Joseph and Mary Ryan, Mrs. Jane Ryan and family.

Birthday Party

The Phyllis club met at the home of Miss Florence M. Goulet, 45 E. street, Friday evening. It being her sixteenth birthday. The program opened with a birthday march, played by Miss Laura Davis, and "When I Was Sweet Sixteen." A duet was played by the Misses Mary Flanagan and Grace Collins. Piano solos were also rendered by Miss Mary Kelle and Miss Florence Goulet. Miss Awa presented Miss Florence with a beautiful crocheted bag in behalf of the club, and although taken by surprise she responded with thanks. The club broke up at a late hour wishing Miss Florence many happy birthdays. The Phyllis orchestra played during the evening.



THE FOUR HARMONISTS
At B. F. Keith's Theatre This Week

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Lowell Opera House

"Faust" and "Martha" in condensed versions with costume will be presented by noted stars of the Boston Opera company post season tour, when that organization visits Lowell next Thursday at the Opera House playing at popular prices.

The plan of popular priced opera is to be extended to this city next season by a series of six operas, and the first presentation under the plan is being presented by Edwin Hesser, who is directing the movement, to secure public support next year.

Mr. Hesser yesterday stated that the company which is first coming here is as fine as any that could be assembled, and as expensive as most casts used in the presentation of operas at the regular five dollar price scale. "The cast," he said, "will be as good or better than the average grand opera production. Only ten readily have operatic directors all over the world fallen into the habit of having one big star each evening, and assigning the other parts to lesser lights. And they cannot be blamed, for a really good star costs at least five hundred dollars a performance, and a cast of good singers, headed by a great star, comes dangerously near the ten thousand dollar mark, when chorus and orchestral expenses are considered.

In the past season tour we have a group of stars of the first water, all of them singing because of their interest in spreading the gospel of grand opera to other New England cities.

LIFE OF ST. PATRICK

Motion pictures of the life of St. Patrick will be shown at the Opera House next Saturday and Sunday. Peter S. McNally, who is perhaps better known as a swimmer and newspaper man, but who has during the past year or two earned quite a reputation as a platform talker, will lecture on "The Life of St. Patrick" in conjunction with the motion pictures. The pictures, as well as the lecture, are taken from Irish historians and from the "Confessions of Patrick."

"THE COUNTRY BOY"

The Henry B. Harris estate's production of Edwin Selwyn's prolific comedy, "The Country Boy," will be the

attraction at the Opera House, April 16th.

The Playhouse

The tastes of people who are active intellectually naturally tend toward that which will furnish them material for reflection or challenge them to the solution or at least the consideration of a problem. So it is in their choice of theatrical productions and in following them without effort combine amusement with mental advancement. Certainly this is a condition to be desired, both for the benefit which accrues to the people themselves and because of the distasteful pastimes which they necessarily avoid. This would seem rather a far fetched introduction for the criticism of a drama, and yet on the contrary, it is most fitting, for it is one which will be to the advantage of the playgoers and not to the theatre management.

"The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" is the title of this week's production by the Drama Players at the Playhouse, under the personal direction of Mr. Kendall Weston and it certainly contains all the desirable qualities named above. The intellectual play is the play with the motive, the problem play which will give the audience something to judge of. Naturally the most available questions for the playgoers, as well as perhaps the most important in this case, are the social problems, those which attract the public attention of the community.

The role of "Paula Tanqueray" is one of considerable difficulty, but is well played by Mrs. Bertha Mann. It is a character demanding diverse moods and feelings. A restless, uncertain character that keeps the audience interested throughout. Mr. J. Anthony Smythe is seen as "Aubrey Tanqueray," Paula's husband. There was perhaps no other actor who came to this city who received the sincere commendation and favor of the theatregoers more than has Mr. Smythe, and it is well deserved. He is possessed of a rare versatility that fits him for a diversity of roles.

Miss Laura Timble is seen in the part of "Eileen Tanqueray," daughter of Aubrey, and she was as usual a marked favorite with the audience. Walter Bosworth has a strong part and was well up to his accustomed high standard as was Mr. Dillon. Mrs. Myers, another big favorite, Miss Maitland and Mr. Carroll. Orrin Shear had a very difficult part to which he did full justice. In regard to the settings they are of the usual Playhouse quality which is to say they are most pleasing.

During the remainder of this week there will be performances each afternoon and evening of "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray."

Keith's Theatre

"Dances of Love" by Mlle. Louise Lail, assisted by M. Jules Elbarbe and Mlle. Valere, is the leading attraction of an excellent bill that is being presented at B. F. Keith's Theatre this week. Five separate dances are given and Mlle. Lail appears in three, in which her pretty appearance makes a splendid impression. M. Jules Elbarbe and Mlle. Valere take part in the other two dances and all are the kind of dancing that one is seldom fortunate enough to see. The beautiful scenery, conceived favorably with the artist's beauty shown in the different dancing

numbers, and all was greatly appreciated by the audience.

"The Vaudeville Agency" presented by James Kelly and Anna Pollock, will surely be enjoyed by those who like the comedy part of the show. Mr. Kelly with his clever jokes and nimble dancing, and Miss Pollock, who is a dancer, singer and comedienne, make a riot of fun from start to finish. Among the songs that Miss Pollock renders is that old one, "Mrs. Murphy's Home," which she sings in Bowditch costume, and it is one of the features of the act. The dancing, singing and comedy were all very well favored by those present at yesterday's performance.

Al and Dick Curtis, Stanley Rhodes and Larry Harkins, consisting of four melodious chaps, are a quartet such as they play the piano, one the violin, and all sing quite as well as they can play. There is also some clean comedy brought out in this act.

Stuart and Kelly, dancers and singers, are classed lightly, and their work yesterday and last night was excellent. Martin, a comedy musician, does tricks with the cards that mystify those with the keenest eye.

Lambie Markins give a vaudeville act that pleases all classes, young and old, while Charles Howe & Co., assisted by Miss Belle Mitchell, give a little playlet, entitled "A Broken Heart," and many remarked that this was one of the best acts on the bill.

The Thomas Edison talking pictures this week go as smoothly as those of the past few weeks and they consist of a melodrama called "Her Reformation," and another scene entitled "The Chimes of Normandy." These pictures move more popular each week, and the subjects this week are well worth seeing. In all the show is one of the best of the season, and from curtain to curtain the audience is treated to excellent entertainment.

Last evening Manager Stevens made an announcement relative to the dancing performance to be given Friday night, and urged all who could to attend. He said while the money was going for a worthy cause all would get something for the money, as the program is an excellent one.

Merrimack Square Theatre

In order to appreciate the value of the acts presented at the Merrimack Square theatre this week, one has to go to this popular house and ascertain for himself that Manager Carroll has taken special care in selecting the numbers of this week's program so as to satisfy his many patrons. Despite the fact that the talking moving pictures which for the past few weeks have been the real attraction at local theatres are not in evidence, the attendance at the opening performance yesterday were exceptionally large, and all enjoyed the bill thoroughly.

One of the best numbers on the program is that provided by Miss Grace Young and her assistants, Messrs. Howard Sidney and Walter Scott. Weeks, who produce a most entertaining playlet, entitled "Nightingale." The piece relates to life behind the scenes and is one that is sure to please. It has a plausible story and is properly interpreted, so well that those taking part were yesterday given several curtain calls. The act is well worth the price of admission.

The Temple Players, this company of noted singers and dancers, are still on

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deck, and their offering this week is "Miss Prim's School," a sketch which is very amusing, it consisting of funny dancing, artistic staging and witty sayings. The piece introduces the members in several good numbers that are pleasing. The Temple Players are favorites in this city and they will deserve the applause they receive.

An original sketch is that of Rap Hanks & Co., who specialize in manipulating soap bubbles. The act is a novel one and introduces the couple in juggling soap bubbles and executing different feats with balloons composed of soap suds and air.

Fields Barnes is about the most clever xylophonist to appear in this city for a long time. His repertoire is one of the finest ever heard, consisting of classical and popular music, and the young man during his stay in Lowell is sure to make many friends.

George Davis has some new illustrated songs that prove entertaining, while the motion pictures introduce new features.

Academy of Music

A very enthusiastic welcome was accorded Augusta Perry and her clever company, at the Academy of Music at both matinee and evening performances yesterday. Although this is Miss Perry's third engagement in this city, her popularity appears to be greater than ever. The opening play, "Soldier of the Empire," a romantic drama, tells a story of unusual interest, and the comedy and dramatic situations were many and strongly developed, so that climax after climax followed with such frequency that the interest was kept at the highest pitch from the rise of the curtain to the finale.

In the role of "Louise Devere," Miss Perry was excellent and played her part in a manner which allowed full scope to her dramatic talent.

The entire company was at its best and the production was up to the standard in every detail of costume, scenery and stage effects.

In addition to the drama, the vaudeville and pictures introduced between the acts were pleasing and certain.

The play for today is the great comedy drama, "Beware of Men."

Theatre Vorons

Today's feature at the Theatre Vorons is a two reel Vitagraph drama of



POPULAR MEMBER OF THE TEMPLE PLAYERS, AT MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE THIS WEEK

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today acted in the principal parts by Mrs. Mary Maurice and James Morrison, entitled "The Modern Prodigal." It tells of the prodigal son, the misfortunes of the poor old mother and the happy reunion of the two. "The Eyes of the Blind" featuring Mary Fuller is a great success and its story is a most appealing one.

The Casino

The Casino is the objective of the dancers, these nights. While roller skating was popular during the winter season, the approach of warm weather brought the dancing spirit, and now it has opportunity to find full expression. Ideal conditions for the complete enjoyment of the terrace are always present at the Casino, and substantial appreciation is shown every night and on Saturday afternoons, when dancing sessions are held.

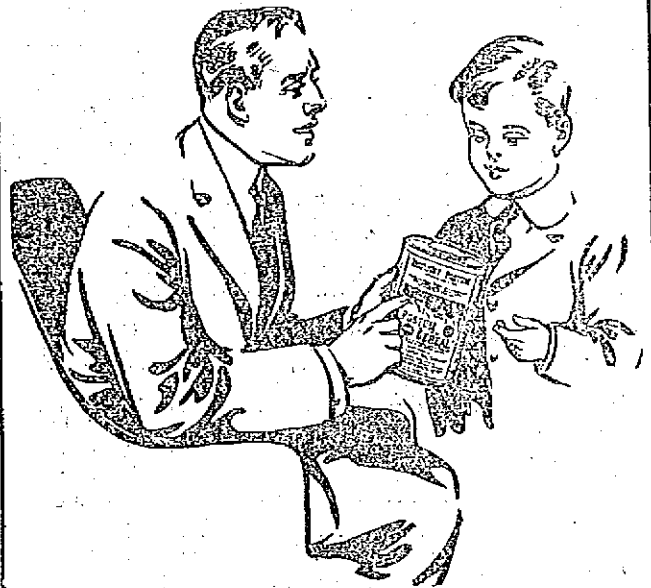
Sheriff Is Killed

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 8.—In a pistol fight at Lowell, near here, yesterday, Deputy Sheriff John Rooney and F. J. McKenna, a miner, whom he sought to arrest, were killed.

The monthly meeting of the council of the Lowell guild was held on Monday afternoon at the guild house, 37 Button street.

NOTICE

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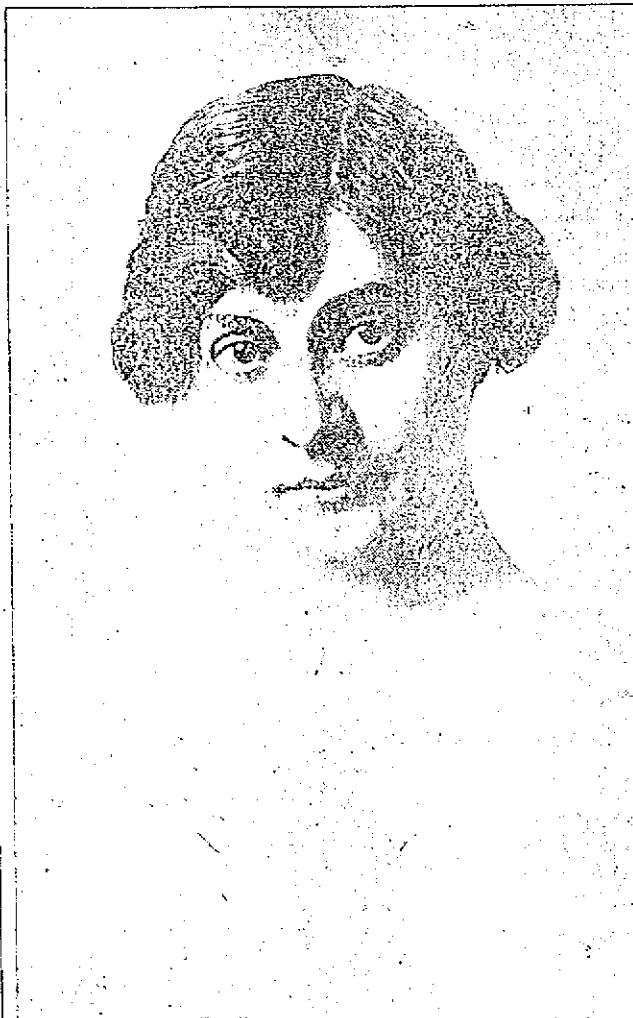
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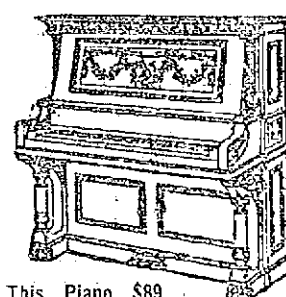
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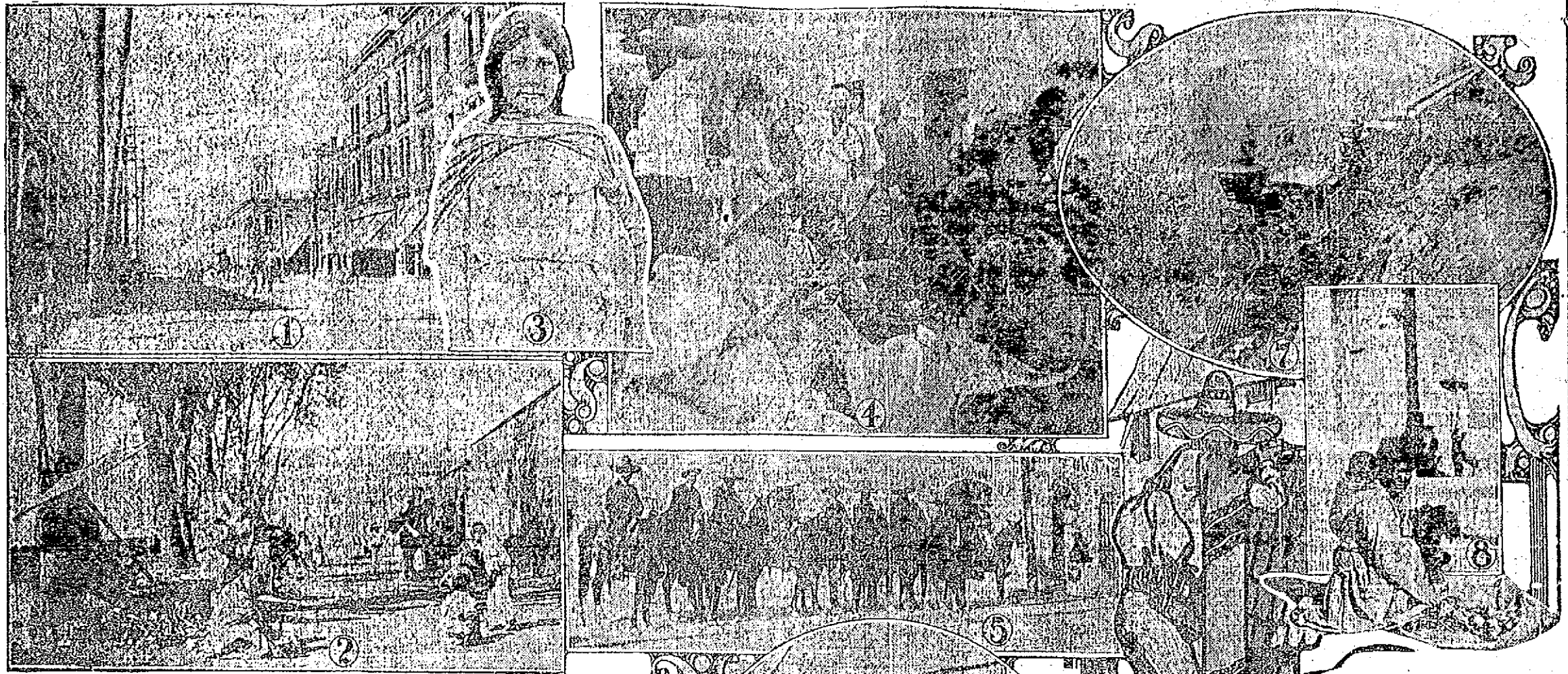
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Mexicans a Much Abused People--The Masses in a State of Peonage to the Upper Classes Who Are Educated and Refined--Madero Alone Fought for the Masses



1 and 2--Streets in Mexico City. 3--After Indian girl. 4--Selling foliage. 5--Rural (mounted police). 6--Outdoor restaurant. 7--National Railroad train. 8--Indian woman fruit vendor.

A writer conversant with conditions in Mexico, writes very interestingly of the people and their troubles and says peonage is the great evil. Madero alone wanted to secure justice for the people. The writer in question says: "Whether indeed, Mexico is 'barbarous Mexico' as John Kenneth Tupper called it in his book, and an 'unclean and uncivilized country' as Richard Harding Davis said in his recent letter to Secretary of State Knox, or 'maligned Mexico' and a 'land of opportunity,' opinions differ. But they do not differ in calling Mexico one of the most interesting countries on earth, with contrasts that are vivid and startling."

Take, for example, the hacendado, owner of a large estate, his wife and sons and daughters on the one hand and the peons who cultivate the estate on the other. The former live in a mansion of beautiful Spanish or Moorish architecture, set amid surroundings of the most luxuriant semi-tropical beauty. They spend money in lavish measure on their surroundings and themselves, and are educated and refined to the last degree. They speak Castilian Spanish, varied frequently with French and less frequently with English and German. They travel abroad for pleasure and are as familiar with the Strand, Broadway, the Bois de Bou-

logne and Unter den Linden as any cosmopolitan. But travel down the road a bit and get away from the modern atmosphere that surrounds the manor house. There you were in the 19th century, possibly a bit ahead of the times. Here you revert to the 16th, among peons living in poverty and squalor. In at least seven cases in ten neither the peon nor any member of his family can write nor has he any desire to cultivate that useful and enlightening art. If he feels within himself the stirrings of ambition they must find a different outlet. He must forego the idea of a school, and there decide with which land of trouble he will affiliate himself.

Very Hard to Acquire Land. Suppose the peon wants to work hard for advancement, you ask? Well, the landowner and his family have no objection to seeing the peon work. Quite the contrary. They even encourage him to work--sometimes with rawhide whips. If he works hard enough and shows intelligence he may even rise to the position of foreman or overseer of other workers. But for him to become a landowner by any other process than brigandage has been virtually impossible, since the land laws of Mexico have been contrived to prevent it.

Madero Wanted to Divide. It was one of the most telling counts in the indictment against Porfirio Diaz and his regime that the poor man was barred from acquiring land, and it is said to the credit of the dead Madero that he favored revision of the land laws that would help to break up the extensive holdings of the very wealthy hacendados and of the governments, federal and state, and would place some of the land at the disposal of the industrious poor. Good authorities on the present state of affairs south of the Rio Grande say that Madero's benevolent intentions in this respect were one of the prime causes of his downfall and death. Mexicans of the "higher" classes are intelligent and educated enough to realize that their hold on the government, which converts it from a republic in name to an oligarchy in fact, depends almost entirely on retaining control of the land.

No Es Costumbre. As has been said, the Mexicans of the wealthy and landowning, professional and government classes--the latter two blend into each other--are enlightened and educated. They adopt foreign ways and manners as far as may be suited to their climate and natural characteristics. They do not lose Mexican manners entirely, save in extreme cases, but they know of foreign customs, and are capable of French. But among the lower classes the prevailing note is found in the familiar term, "no es costumbre." It is not the custom. People so blinded by custom depart therefrom in even the slightest particular marks the visitor to Mexico as an "extranjero," a foreigner, no matter how Spanish-American he may be in feature and dress. The Mexicans have a keen eye for such matters. And they are proud, very proud.

Don't Laugh at Mexicans. In any Mexican city you cannot make a greater mistake than to display amusement at anything that strikes you as being queer. That is why the Americans of the "grab" class who have come to Mexico in recent years are disliked. They do not appreciate the importance of "costumbre," and they expect the Mexicans to forget it. Germans and Frenchmen, and to some extent Englishmen, are wiser. They will take the trouble to learn Spanish, and with it Mexican idioms,

BAR AND BOTTLE BILL

Repeal Proposed by Bill Reported to House

BOSTON, April 8--A repeal of the bar and bottle bill, the piece of liquor legislation over which the hardest fight in recent years was made at the time of its passage, in 1910, is proposed by the bill the committee on legal affairs is to report to the house today. It carries with it an amendment that there shall be a referendum in each license city and town. There are six dissenters, including Senate Chairman Hutton and House Chairman Tufts. The others are Senators Montague and Representatives Haines, Wilson and Cassasa. Leave to withdraw was reported in

the senate on the "daylight liquor" bill, with Representatives Tufts, Haines and Wilson dissenting. This bill, which fixes the hour of opening saloons at 1 o'clock, was advocated as a measure in the interest of safety to employees in industrial establishments. It was argued in support of it that if a man can not buy a drink before going to work he is less likely to become injured. Figures are quoted on both sides. The committee frowned upon the at-

tempt to permit licensed hotels to sell liquor between midnight and 4 a. m. on special occasions. Leave to withdraw was reported also on the bill providing that the full number of licenses allowed by law in Boston shall be issued; that a portion of the license fee shall be refunded in case of the death of the licensee; that the number of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors shall not be limited by law, and

to John J. Riley on his petition for the refunding of parts of fees paid on liquor licenses.

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TRIMMED HATS--**\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$5**

UNTRIMMED SHAPES--**45c, 69c, 95c, 1.25, 1.95**

VACATION SALE OF GIRLS' APPAREL

Tomorrow--or any day this week--would be an excellent time for mothers to bring in the children to be fitted to a new coat or dress.

This store is especially prepared to clothe your girl in the most serviceable and fashionable garments to be had in Lowell. The greater part of the styles we show are confined strictly to us and the prices we ask are most decidedly within reason. We mention today just a few of the hundreds of pretty things we are showing.

NEWLY RECEIVED JUNIOR SUITS

Tailored Suits in navy blue only, with 3-button coat and tailored skirt. Jacket trimmed with soutache braid and pearl buttons, at \$11.75. Another style comes in navy, copenhagen, tan, with appropriate trimmings of Bulgarian braid and Dresden collar. At \$12.98 and at \$15 we have a great choice in smart girl's suits of black and white checks, tan, navy and copenhagen, serges and mixtures in cutaway and Balkan blouse effects.

SMART JUNIOR DRESSES

We are showing a great many of the new College Dresses for growing girls--ages 13, 15, 17 and 19--they come in navy, copenhagen and tan serges and are lowly priced at \$10.00.

The newest novelty is the Balkan Blouse Dress. It comes in black and white checks and plain serge and is finished with rich, wide silk plaid ribbon on collar, cuffs and low Bulgarian belt, at \$15.00.

CHILDREN'S NEWER COATS

For \$5.00 you can buy a choice of 25 styles in Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, in serges, mixtures and checks. At \$6.98 we have many entirely new styles in serges and fancy mixtures, and for \$10.00 you can have the mannish coat, Bulgarian blouse styles, or the trimmed tailored coats in great variety.

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President Read Message to Congress

DESPERATE FIGHTING IN PERSON TODAY RECOVERY OF \$10,000

Federals and State Troops in a Battle Below Naco, Sonora—Americans Wounded

NACO, Ariz., April 8.—Desperate fighting between federal and state troops opened at 2:20 this morning. The scene of the battle was less than a mile below Naco, Sonora. Bullets fell on the American side of the line and two American soldiers on border patrol were wounded. Ojeda again used his artillery effectively and held the state troops at a distance despite their superior numbers. The residents of Naco, Ariz., are congregated in buildings as far as possible from the scene of the fight to escape the bullets which are falling in showers near the international line.

DID NOT TAKE UP TARIFF BILL

The House Democrats Assembled in Caucus After President Wilson Read Message

WASHINGTON, April 8.—House democrats assembled in caucus today immediately after President Wilson read his message. They did not take up the tariff bill, however. It went over to tomorrow while the caucus took up the question of committees and other organization. Minority selections for five committees—ways and means, rules, accounts, enrolled bills

FOR RURAL CARRIER

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION TO HOLD EXAMINATION

For Vacancy At Winchester, in Middlesex County—Examination On Saturday, April 26

An open competitive examination for rural mail carrier, salary from \$300 to \$1120 per annum, is announced by the United States civil service commission

Swimmer Sullivan's Dance TONIGHT

ASSOCIATE HALL AT 8 O'CLOCK
SPEAKERS
Col. Humphrey O'Sullivan, of Lowell.
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Is it strange that this easy ironer has to do with woman's beauty?

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Too Hot for Operator

EL PASO, Tex., April 8.—Fighting began today at Naco, Sonora, opposite the Arizona town of that name between the small federal garrison under Gen. Pedro Ojeda and a large force of rebels. News of the battle came in a private message, but the wire soon ceased working. The operator on the American side saying "It was getting too hot for him."

and mileage, were made. The democratic majority already have been made. Progressives drew three places in today's allotments. Harwood got the ways and means. Chandler of New York rules and Woodruff of Michigan got on accounts. The progressives expect to get in all 30 of 276 minority places.

to take place at Boston, Lowell and Marlboro, Mass., for Middlesex county on Saturday, April 26. The position is to fill a vacancy at Winchester, Mass., and other rural routes at post offices in the above named county. The age limit as prescribed is 18 to 55 years. The examination is open to all male residents who can comply with the conditions and who are living in the territory supplied by a post office in this county. The application, form may be had at the local post office from the representative of the civil service commission there.

INDUSTRIAL EXHIBIT

Merchants and Manufacturers of Lawrence to Hold Big Exposition—Event Promises Success

A big event for Lawrence is being planned by the merchants and manufacturers of that city, namely a grand industrial exposition which will be conducted in the state armory in Amesbury street. The endorsement of the board of trade has been secured for this event and this will add greatly to the assurance for success. The exposition is one which has been needed for some time and for which many former plans were formed, all of which, however, failed to materialize. It appears from the energy of those in charge that the industrial exhibit of the merchants and manufacturers will on this occasion be one long to be remembered by the city of Lawrence.

Diamonds and \$3000 Stolen

CAMBRIDGE, April 8.—The theft of a handbag containing several diamonds and \$3000 was reported to the police today by Miss Alice J. Seliger of New York, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Burbank of this city. Late last night thieves entered Miss Seliger's room and took a bag from the bureau. Mrs. Burbank heard the thieves and gave chase. In their flight the thieves dropped some of the jewels but escaped with most of their plunder.

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CENTRAL STREET



PRESIDENT WILSON
Reading Message to Congress at Special Session Today

Extra Session Called to Bring Prompt Relief and Prevent Long Suspense —To Eliminate Special Privilege

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Setting aside precedents of more than a century, President Wilson today appeared in the halls of congress and delivered his first legislative message in person. This is the first time since the administration of John Adams, that a president has availed himself of the right to deliver his own message. Before reading his formal message, the president said:

"I am very glad indeed to have this opportunity to address the two houses directly and to verify for myself the impression that the president of the United States is a person, not a mere

department of the government, hailing congress from some isolated island of jealous power, sending messages, not speaking naturally and with his own voice, that he is a human being, trying to co-operate with other human beings in a common service. After this pleasant experience I shall feel quite normal in all our dealings with one another."

Proceeding to the message, he said: Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives: I have called the congress together in extraordinary session because a duty was laid upon the party now in power at the recent elections which it ought to perform promptly, in order

that the burden carried by the people under existing law may be lightened as soon as possible and in order, also, that the business interests of the country may not be kept too long in suspense as to what the fiscal changes are to be to which they will be required to adjust themselves. It is clear to the whole country that the tariff duties must be altered. They must be changed to meet the radical alteration in the conditions of our economic life which the country has witnessed within the last generation. While the whole face and method of our industrial and commercial life were being

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FOR DOUBLE TRACKS

Petitioners Want Them to Spalding Park

It is practically certain that double tracks will be laid this year to Spalding park in response to the well signed petition that was presented to the Bay State Street R. R. The petition was addressed to Superintendent Farrington and ran as follows:

Lowell, April 5, 1913.
Mr. H. E. Farrington, Supt. Bay State Street Railway Co., Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: In view of the congested traffic conditions in Rogers street during the summer months, when thousands of people enjoy New England league baseball at Spalding park, and in anticipation of a substantial increase of patronage following the completion of a modern baseball plant, the undersigned respectfully petition the Bay State Street Railway Co. to extend its double tracks from the present double track terminal in Rogers street to a point opposite Spalding park, where double tracks are now laid. By thus accommodating the public, the petitioners are of the opinion that the interests of the Bay State Street Railway Co. will likewise be served, and that the community as a whole will benefit. Immediate consideration of this petition is respectfully requested.

FOR DIRECT ELECTIONS

The Required Number of States in Favor

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Direct election of United States senators became one of the provisions of the constitution today by Connecticut's ratification of the amendment to that effect. Thirty-six states, the requisite three-fourths of all in the Union, now have approved the change. It remains only for the governor of all states which have acted favorably to formally notify Secretary Brown and for him to issue a proclamation announcing the change.

The amendment to the constitution is the second within the last few months.

FELL FROM BRIDGE

Ell Oldfield Believed to Have Fallen From Boston and Lowell Bridge at Lawrence

Ell Oldfield, a Lawrence man aged 42 years, is believed to have been the man reported to have fallen from the Boston and Lowell bridge at Lawrence into the Merrimack river on last Friday night. This theory was given rise to by statements of Mrs. Oldfield, who said that her husband has been missing from his home since last Thursday night when he went to South Lawrence to visit friends.

TREATMENT OF JAPANESE

In California Elicits Criticism in Japan

TOKIO, Japan, April 8.—The hollowing of American advocacy of equality is the subject of an ironical editorial article in the Asahat, the leading independent newspaper of Japan, which says that Californians propose to treat their neighbors across the Pacific worse than negroes. The article continues:

"This anti-Japanese agitation will impress us with a keen sense of humiliation which will require many years to efface. Americans must be prepared for a cool reception when they visit or settle in Japan."

HIS FOOT INJURED

Simon Goulette Hurt While at Work in the Lowell Machine Shop This Morning

Simon Goulette of 15 Stackpole street had his left foot severely crushed this morning while at work in the Hamilton mill. His foot was caught between two blocks. The wound was dressed at the Lowell hospital, whither the injured man was taken in the ambulance. Although his foot is in bad shape just at present, the bone was unseparated and nothing permanent is expected to develop from the accident.

Suit Against Cambridge Co.—Verdict for Defendant in Case of Doyle vs. Newton St. Ry.

The superior court session for civil cases, Judge Nathan D. Pratt presiding, which was started in the Lowell courthouse yesterday morning, was resumed today with the case of Doyle vs. Newton Street Railway Co., and Brady vs. Same, actions of tort. The features of the case were stated in yesterday's Sun.

The case occupied the court's attention all forenoon and the arguments were presented shortly before 1 o'clock, after which the judge charged the jury.

Before the noon recess the case of Goodman vs. the D. Whiting Co. of Cambridge, an action of tort, the damages of which is \$10,000, went to

trial. In this case, the plaintiff, Nathan Goodman of Boston, sues for the recovery of damages for alleged personal injuries when he was struck by a wagon owned by the defendant company, and operated by agents of the said company. He claims he was crossing a street in Cambridge and was exercising due care, when the wagon struck him, causing serious injury. The date of the alleged accident is set as April 7, 1911.

F. B. Garland appears for the plaintiff, and Trull & Weir for the defendant company.

In the cases of Doyle vs. Newton Street Railway Co. and Brady vs. Same, the jury this afternoon returned findings in favor of defendant.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL SESSION

Voted Loans for Street and Sewer Work—List of Jurors Was Drawn

The meeting of the municipal council scheduled for two o'clock this afternoon did not materialize until nearly four o'clock, which was due to some delay in the mayor's office. There was a good gallery attendance and Alderman Brown was in his seat in due time. In the city messenger's office a sort of vaudeville show was in progress and there was a good attendance. Everybody seemed to be very happy.

The first business of the meeting was the drawing of five jurors for the supreme judicial court to be held in this city the third Tuesday in April. The following names were drawn by Commissioner Cummings: Hugh G. Walker, 18 Phil street, clerk.

Charles Kirby, 15 Walnut street, taxidermist.
Wm. D. Leggett, 643 Broadway, machinist.
Forrest T. Palmer, 51 Osgood street, bookkeeper.
Finlay M. Gray, 84 Ellierica street, operative.

An order to borrow \$30,000 for macadamizing streets was before the board for action and was adopted. An order to borrow \$50,000 for sewer construction was also adopted.

FACED HIS ACCUSER

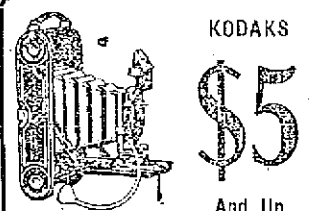
Sen. Stillwell Charged With Extortion

ALBANY, N. Y., April 8.—Senator Stephen Stillwell of New York, charged with attempted extortion in connection with pending legislation by George Kendall, president of the American Bank Note Co., faced his accuser today before the senate inquiry committee which is investigating the charges. Stillwell, according to Kendall, wanted \$500 for drafting a bill but compromised for \$250. Later, the witness testified, the senator asked him for \$2000 with which to pay four members of the senate codes committee of which Stillwell is chairman to vote the bill out of committee.

CITIZENSHIP SCHOOL

Novel Educational Institution Started in Lawrence for Instruction of Aliens Desiring Naturalization

A novel institution for civic education was opened in Lawrence last night in the form of a citizenship school, planned and brought into the sphere of reality by a number of Lawrence men who interested themselves in the welfare of those aliens who desire to become citizens of this country. The school opened with a class of 32 members. The principal is Cornelius Sullivan and he is assisted by John P. Mulholland. All who so desire will be trained in the essentials of civic government and other branches required for the successful passing of the naturalization examination. The school bids fair to be a marked success and the business will be well rewarded for their pains. It is one of the first institutions of the kind to be started in this locality.



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Tickets Are Selling

The Monster Benefit in Aid of Ohio Flood Sufferers

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE, FRIDAY NIGHT

20 Big Acts. Admission—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

NEW TARIFF BILL

Makes Radical Reductions—Long Free List—Free Sugar in Three Years—Heavy Cut on Woolens

A graduated tax on incomes of more than \$4000.
Free raw wool.
Free boots and shoes.
Sugar rates cut 25 per cent; sugar to be free in three years.
"Market Basket" items on the free list: Meat, bread, flour, potatoes, milk, salt and fish.
Reduced rates on butter, eggs and other necessities.
Lumber, iron ore, wood pulp, print paper, bituminous coal and leather to be free.
Radical cuts in manufactured woolens, including blankets, flannels, ready-made clothing and women's and children's dresses.
Heavy cuts in steel products and pig iron.
Some chemicals and drugs shifted from free to dutiable list.
Taxes on luxuries stand except for some instances where they are raised beyond the Payne-Aldrich law figures.

SYNOPSIS OF TARIFF BILL AND COMPARISON OF NEW RATES WITH THE OLD

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Removal of all tariff from many articles of food and clothing; broad reductions in the rate of duty on many luxuries; and a new income tax that would touch the pocket of every American citizen whose net income exceeds \$4000, are the striking features of the new democratic tariff revision bill, presented today to the house.

Sugar would be free of duty in 1916, the bill proposing an immediate 25 per cent reduction and the removal of the remaining duty in 1916.

Raw wool would be made free at once, with a correspondingly heavy reduction in the tariff on all woolen goods.

All these other articles are put on the free list, namely:

Meats, flour, bread, boots and shoes, lumber, coal, harness, saddlery, iron ore, milk and cream, potatoes, salt, wine, corn, cornmeal, cotton bagging, agricultural implements, leather, wood pulp, bibles, printing paper not worth more than 25 cents per pound, typewriters, sewing machines, type-setting machines, cash registers, steel rails, fence wire, cotton ties, nails, hoop and band iron, fish, sulphur, soda, tanning materials, acetate and sulphuric acids, brassy, lumber products, including broom-handles, clapboards, hubs for wheels, posts, laths, pickets, staves, shingles.

These principal items are taken from the free list and taxed:

Rough and uncut diamonds and precious stones, furs, coal tar products, 10 per cent; volatile oils, 20 per cent;

spices, from one cent to two cents per pound.

The Old and the New Rates
Chairman Underwood of the ways and means committee, in his statement accompanying the new tariff bill, gave the following comparative table, to show reductions in tariff duties made up on necessities. In each item, both the present tariff and the proposed tariff had been reduced to an ad valorem basis.

	Present Rate	Proposed Rate
Cream of tartar	12.45	17.55
Medicinal prep.	50.95	31.11
Castor oil	33.10	15.00
Wash blue	23.35	15.00
Salt peter	9.27	6.57
Common soap	20.00	5.00
Saleratus or bicarbonate of soda	21.54	5.50
Salt soda, washing		

soda, refined	20.93	16.25
Borax, refined	21.22	13.11
Lime	9.17	5.00
China and crockery, not decorated	55.00	35.00
Grindstones	9.21	8.33
Bicycles	45.00	25.00
Pocket knives	77.05	35.00 & 55.00
Razors	72.05	35.00 & 55.00
Scissors and shears	53.77	30.00
Knives and forks	41.93	27.00
Furniture	35.00	15.00
Cattle	27.07	10.00
Woolens, etc.	24.55	25.51
Wool, cleaned	24.05	32.33
Eggs	26.23	14.25
Stocks, etc.	51.44	27.38
Mineral waters	43.56	30.00
Spool thread	22.50	15.00
Cotton cloth	42.11	25.50
Cotton clothing	50.00	30.00
Stockings, hose and underwear	35.38	50.00
Men's and boys' cotton work	59.17	35.00
Knit shirts, drawers, etc., and underwear	60.27	25.00
Collars and cuffs	49.10	30.00
Underclothes	72.63	25.00
Flannel	53.29	30.00
Clothing, ready-made	79.58	35.00
Women's and children's dresses	93.70	35.00
Sewing silk	25.00	15.00
Wrapping paper	35.00	25.00
Books	25.00	15.00
Brooms	40.00	15.00
Matches	27.53	15.00
Harness and saddlery other than leather	35.00	20.00
India rubber, man	35.00	10.00
Lead pencils	50.00	25.00

The new rates are estimated to reduce the customs revenue approximately \$50,000,000 a year. This is expected to be made up by the income tax.

Endorsed by President Wilson, the measure represents the efforts of the president and the house tariff makers to carry into effect democratic pledges of downward revision and of concessions to the American consumer.

Protection to the farmer would be cut throughout by more than 50 per cent in an effort to reduce the cost of food.

Protection to the steel and implement manufacturer would in turn be cut by fully as wide a margin.

Heaviest reductions fall upon foodstuffs, agricultural products, woolen and cotton clothing.

The free wool proposal, backed by President Wilson and accepted by the house committee, is expected to produce

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For Constipation

in Children

Anti-sen is highly recommended. It is a perfectly safe, harmless and effective remedy, especially prepared for the little ones. It promptly removes all obstructions caused by errors in diet, acidity of the stomach and torpidity of the liver and bowels.

Anti-sen relieves all the ordinary stomach, liver and bowels ailments of infants and children, teething troubles, etc. Get a bottle of it today. Sold by all druggists at 25c. Prepared only by C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

TOWN OF BILLERICA

Board of Selectmen Met Last Night

REPUBLICAN CLUB HELD MEETING AND ELECTED OFFICERS

N. A. McMillen, Superintendent of the Water Department, Asked for an Increase of \$400 a Year

The Billerica board of selectmen held a meeting in the town hall last night, with Messrs. Sanford, Sheridan and Wright present. James J. Fuller and Daniel Fitzpatrick were drawn as jurors to serve at this session of the superior court. The larger part of the meeting was taken up by approving bills. Two hundred and ten bills were approved last night, this being the largest number of bills ever brought before the present board of selectmen at one meeting. Three petitions from the New England Telephone and Telegraph company were read and laid on the table until the next meeting, which will take place on April 21. The first petition asked for four pole locations on Bridge road and Treble Cove road, and one pole between Treble Cove road and the residence of Mr. Kitchin. The poles are to carry two single wires or one paired wire and are to be at least 18 feet high. The second petition asked for the location of eight poles between the present line on Treble Cove road and the residence of Mr. Horvath, the poles to be the same as above. The petition asked for the location of three poles on Lowell street between Colson and Elm and six poles on Elm street between Lowell and Faulkner, the poles to be one paired cable and to be at least 18 feet high.

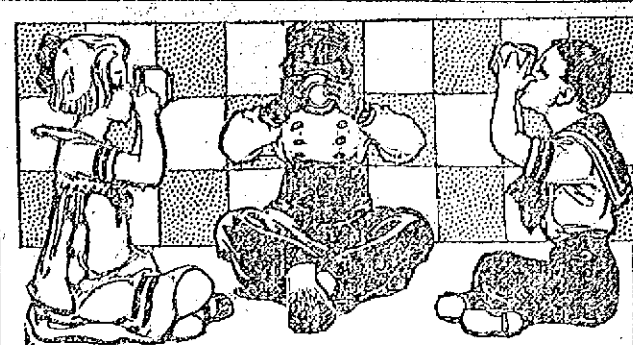
A special meeting of the board will be held on next Monday night to take up all unfinished business.

Lively Meeting of Water Board

The water board of the town of Billerica held a lively meeting in the town hall with all three members present. Mr. Sidney Bull was elected chairman of the board and Oliver Greenwood was chosen to act as clerk during the year. Mr. Norman A. McMillen, superintendent of the water department, presented a request for a raise in salary from \$1100 to \$1500 a year, as he expected that there would be more work during the present year than ever before. Messrs. Bull and Hopkinson favored the raise but it was strongly objected to by Mr. Twombly, the other member of the board, as no arrangements had been made for the extra expense during the coming year and the expenses of the board last year were fully as much as the amount received. After considerable discussion the matter was placed on file and probably will be taken up at the next meeting.

Republican Club Meets

The Billerica Republican club held its semi-annual meeting and election of officers in their hall last night. There was a large attendance. During the past year the clubhouse has been looked during the day and no members with the exception of the executive board, were given authority to enter except at night. This matter was taken up and discussed at some length, the members finally deciding to refer



Wherever children we may spy
From East to West, from North to South
Our Hans is in the public eye,
Our Rona's in the public mouth.
Then hail to "Hans Across The Sea,"
The children's Benefactor he!

Half pound
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Also in 10c tins

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RONA
IMPORTED DUTCH
COCOA

it to the executive board. The reports of the secretary, treasurer, auditor and finance committee were read and accepted, after which the election of officers took place. The officers elected were: President, John Bostwick; first vice-president, Edgar P. Twombly; second vice-president, John J. Ritchie; secretary, Frederic Brown; treasurer, Joseph Garner; Norris Millbury and R. T. Perry; investigating committee, Ernest Rutledge, Norris Millbury and A. Walker; executive board, Herbert Rice, Carl Mortensen and Norris Millbury.

The delegates from the Ladies of the G. A. R., who were elected to attend the convention to be held in Boston today and tomorrow left this morning. The convention will include speaking and the election of department officers.

REST AND HEALTH TO MOTHER AND CHILD.
Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALWAYS BRINGS, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

NARROW ESCAPE

AUTO TURNED TURTLE ON LOWELL ROAD

One of the Occupants Slightly Injured—Automobile Is a Total Wreck

Alderman Amos J. Wheeler and Fred Landry, both of Nashua, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday, when the automobile in which they were riding turned turtle on the Lowell road near Nashua.

The alderman and Mr. Landry were coming to Lowell late yesterday afternoon with the former at the wheel. In order to avoid a collision with Emile Chagnon's car on turning a curve, the big car was steered to one side and skidded, turning turtle and throwing the occupants to the ground. Mr. Wheeler escaped without injury, while Mr. Landry who was seated at the rear end of the car, was thrown with force. He was removed to Dr. Shea's office. His right hand and right hip were injured. The car is a total wreck.

Tomorrow, Wednesday, April 9, Will Be Opening Day

George Fairburn's

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IN SANITARY CONDITIONS.

The store is abundantly lighted, karbolith flooring, marble for meats, fish and vegetable display. Refrigerating pipes convey the cool air under and around the receptacles, which have glass housing. An efficient and courteous sales force to serve you. Our basement is equipped with all the latest methods of handling and caring for Meats, Poultry, Eggs, Fruits, Fish and Vegetables. It contains apartments, several in number, connected with trolley for all parts of the establishment. This floor runs from street to street, and gives ample room to care for many carloads of the necessities of life. The different storage rooms have perfect arrangements for maintaining the varied and desired temperature for the many articles of food.

Right On the Square

THE FISH DEPT.

In one that has no equal in this city, or perhaps in the country, for it is our intention to keep the largest and best variety of fish to be had in the market. Special fixtures have been made for keeping it always fresh and sweet by our cooling system and when on your tour of inspection do not forget to inspect this important display of sea food.

Every Convenience for Patrons

Step Out of the Store and On the Car

THE VERY BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS IN MEATS, VEGETABLES, FRUIT, FISH, EGGS, ETC., AND PERFECT CLEANLINESS IN HOUSING AND HANDLING. COME TO THIS MODEL MARKET.

FIRST BIG LEAGUE GAME THE SCHOOL CLINIC

phia Tomorrow

GENERAL OPENING IN BOTH LEAGUES ON THURSDAY

in a Little While

EXPECTED TO OPEN ABOUT A WEEK FROM MONDAY

Arrangements for the establishment of a school clinic of dentistry are fast nearing completion. The schools will open next Monday and the school committee hopes to have the clinic opened one week from that day, April 21. The various details of the administration of the clinic are being worked out.

Members of the Lowell Dental society and the local dentists who are not members of it, have been interviewed by members of the school committee, and it is understood that everything looks favorable for the complete success of the clinic.

The time is up and while license money is being received at the city clerk's office, the unlicensed dog isn't standing any more of a show at the present time than he would were he to fall on his overboard while suffering an attack of the rabies. It was stated at the office of the city clerk this forenoon that about 490 of the 1800 dogs had been

Paid Your Taxes?
If you have overlooked the payment of your taxes and are desirous of saving a penny, just call round at the office of the city treasurer and say "Please, Mr. Clerk, I want to pay my taxes." This is a tip and you ought not to miff it. The tax warrants are

take your choice, a trip to the clerk's office or a visit at your office or home from the constable.

Police Will Assist

Mayor O'Donnell, today or tomorrow will address a letter to the superintendent of police asking him to instruct his officers to assist the board of health in enforcing the law.

The mayor believes that the police can do a great deal along this line in preventing boys and others from dipping into barrels of paper that are lying in the street and scattering the contents about the street.

Auditing the Accounts

Meers, Hull, Rockwell and Fenton of the office of the bureau of labor and statistics have been detailed to Chief Gentry to audit the financial books of this city for the year 1911. These three accountants are at work on the tax books in the treasurer's office. The first work being that of balancing the tax accounts.

OHIO HANDED SUFFERER

The program for the monster benefit in aid of the Ohio flood sufferers, to be held in the Lowell Opera House,

7 o'clock: Concert by orchestra of musicians.
7:35: Address by Mayor James O'Donnell.
7:55: Fields Barnes, xylophonist.
8:15: Money Boy Minstrels.
8:35: Anna K. McCashin, dancer.

8.30: John Y. Myers and Cleveland Nobles, singing comedians.
8.40: Martin, card wizard.
8.55: Grace Young & Co., in a sketch.
9.10: Stuart & Keeley, dancers, etc.
9.20: Ruth Rodgers, acrobatic dance.

2.55: Mlle. Louise LeGai, in "Dances des Amours."

10.15: Kendal Weston & Co., in
sketch.
10.35: Kelley & Pollock, in come
and dancing.
10.50: Four Melodious Chaps, sing
and musicians.

11.20: Rostelle & Lee, singing a
dancing.
11.25 to 11.50: The Rachelor club.
Mayor O'Donnell has asked Prince
Irish of the High school to all

to sell souvenir programs. His Honor suggests that the girls wear their natty costumes, for in such attire he thinks they will be so bewitching to make it impossible for anybody

hasn't much on Lowell's chief executive when it comes to downward planning for results.

FIRE DEPT. WHO CALLED

FIRE DEPT. WAS CALLED

Factory

Chief, Hosmer and his fire fight responded to alarm 34 this morn shortly after 9 o'clock and spent a short time in getting out to A city. The cause of the alarm was a small blaze in the blowing depart

of the Bancroft Piano Stool Co., which was probably caused by friction heat as the fire started around one of the last moving fans which are a part of the machinery used in this department. As the room in which the fire

shavings, a serious conflagration would have been the outcome if prompt attention had not been accorded to the blaze.

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Also Conduct Treatment
NEW YORK, April 8.—Dr. Freder-
Franz Friedmann, according to the
understanding here is due in Providence

He declined to discuss his trip in any way and at his hotel no information as to his movements would be obtained, it was learned.

Mississippi Levee Collapsed
MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 5.—The Mississippi river levee at Gretna, La., collapsed today, flooding the surrounding country.

... south of Memphis, collapsed s
today.

HOUSE GALLERIES WERE CROWDED

Wives, Families and Friends of House Members Hear President Read Message

WASHINGTON, April 8.—President Wilson reverted today to the custom of a century ago in reviving the precedent by which congress heard from the lips of the chief executive of the country his message to the national legislature.

Two motives influenced Mr. Wilson to decide to read in person his first communication to congress—the purport of which was received, accompanied as they have been by the dream of a clerk's voice and empty seats and Mr. Wilson's desire that every member should hear his appeal for a thorough revision of the tariff, the sole purpose for which congress was called into extraordinary session.

Official Washington was prepared for the unusual event with a feeling more of curiosity than of criticism. Sentiment as to the political wisdom of the move had hardly crystallized as the proceedings of the early days was only a historical record so far as the modern legislator was concerned. Senators and representatives acknowledged the constitutional right of the president to read his own message in the halls of congress and by concurrent resolution arranged to gather in the

DAY OF PAINTED INDIANS IS PAST

People of Good Taste Avoid Gaudiness of Any Kind.

Porcelain Preferable to Gold in Making Crowning Teeth.

No white man ever envied an Indian with his gaudy, painted coat of myriad colors. In his vanity this early, uncivilized inhabitant of America would strut about streaked at every possible point of his anatomy with some section of the rainbow and every stripe added to what he had made him just a little bit more of a "high muck-a-muck" with his tribesmen. But as soon as he got "wise" his paint-pot was laid aside, the paint hardened and the brush withdrawn. The red man then became civilized, and the only painted Indian you see today is in the show business, and he paints for so much per week, like the clown or soubrette.

The trend of civilization, of refinement, is away from anything gaudy or loudly ornamental. There are people today, the best who would paint like an Indian as readily as they would permit of allowing a dentist to place a shining gold crown in a prominent part of their mouth. They demand porcelain where a new tooth or two is needed to complete the comeliness of their teeth and mouth. I practice expert, every branch of modern dentistry, and specialize in porcelain teeth that are absolutely natural. Dr. Gannon, "We are Specialists," No. 466 Merrimack street, opposite Tilden.

CUSTOMS FRAUD CASE

The Federal Grand Jury Began Investigation

BOSTON, April 8.—The federal grand jury began today an investigation of the alleged smuggling conspiracy at this port through which it is claimed the government has been defrauded of many thousands of dollars. Several customs employees described the routine of the work on the pier explaining to the jury the system of baggage inspection.

Nicholas Schramm and his wife, Mrs. Lena Bradley Schramm, were held in bail of \$500 and \$1,000 respectively as witnesses today and it was expected they would be called before the jury during the day.

Terrence Shevlin, a customs employee, his wife, and Miss Kate Brennan, a dressmaker of New York, are charged with sharing in the conspiracy.

THE LOWELL GUILD

Milk Station Has Already Started Work

The monthly meeting of the council of the Lowell Guild was held yesterday afternoon at the Guild house, 17 Dutton street. Reports for the month of March were heard. Miss Moore, superintendent, reported 253 milk station calls and 1150 calls made by the district nurses, making a total of 1303 calls during the month. A registry of nurses is kept at the Guild house so that any one needing a nurse may obtain the names of nurses who are at liberty by telephoning 2124.

Tuberculosis class meets every other Thursday evening. Dr. Kearney, in charge. Girls' club meets every Wednesday evening.

Mother's meeting on March 20th, was very well attended. Through the kindness of Dr. Clark of the Lowell hospital, a pupil nurse has been sent to the Lowell Guild, which is greatly appreciated.

CHANGES IN THE RULES

Of Senate Considered by Democrats

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Changes in the rules of the senate advanced by the democratic leaders of that body as designed to make the senate more thoroughly "democratic in fact," were subjects of consideration for a caucus of party members called for late today.

The changes as prepared by Senator Kern, the democratic leader, propose to divert committee chairmen of much of their power of control over legislation and to give to the majority party in the senate general control over the selections of committees. It is proposed to adopt the new principles as representing the sentiment of the democratic majority by which the senate leaders will be guided, even though the provisions should not be incorporated in the rules of the senate.

Condition of Winter Wheat

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The average condition of winter wheat on April 1 was 91.6 per cent. of a normal compared with 80.5 last year. There was a decline of 1.8 points from Dec. 1 to April 1, compared with an average decline of 3.5 points in the past 10 years.

NAUT—BEAULIEU

A pretty marriage was solemnized this morning, when William Naut and Miss Marie Louise Beaulieu were united in the bonds of matrimony, the ceremony being performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at seven o'clock at St. Joseph's church by Rev. Alphonse Nolin, O. M. I. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Pierre Beaulieu, and the bridegroom by his father, Mr. Gordon Naut. Little Alice Beaulieu acted as flower girl. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride party repaired to the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Naut, 22 Campaw street, where a wedding dinner was served. This evening a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents, 1 Regina place, and will be attended by a number of members of the C. C. M. V. M. of which the bridegroom is a member. The happy couple who were the recipients of many costly gifts will make their home at 25 Campaw street. Attending the wedding were friends and relatives from Dover, N. H., Wilmington and Haverhill.

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1500 Coats on sale this morning in a limitless variety. The most handsome selection ever shown in Lowell—Eponges, Serges, Bedford Cords, Shepherd Checks and Stripes. Come in and see them; it will be a treat. Special prices all this week. Smart styles.

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We have arranged these coats in groups to make your selection quickly. Samples added to the many lots at \$3 and \$4 saving to you.

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New York Cloak and Suit Co.

(CHERRY & WEBB) 12-18 JOHN STREET



NOT ALLOWED TO "TIP"

The Government Will Not Stand Expense

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Lieut. Col. J. P. Reynolds Landis, United States military attaché at Rome, tipped the doorkeeper of the American embassy in the Eternal city, only to find that his government would not stand the expense. Each of three quarterly accounts of the officer contained \$1.93 for these tips. Comptroller of the Treasury Tracewell today held that gratuities to a doorkeeper were not allowable.



Wife—Why don't you make a hot speech against the trusts?
Congressman—The public wouldn't believe I meant it, and the trusts might.

Parents, Read this Letter!

I have a letter from a prominent Maine clergyman in regard to a sickness of one of his children from which I quote as follows: "Our two-year-old baby was very sick at two different times and we came near losing her. We had the best doctors, but they did not know what the trouble was. In the first sickness she had high fever for several days, but the doctor said it acted like scarlet fever, but as there were no other cases he did not think it could be. Afterwards she broke out in a rash all over her body. The last sickness was similar and the doctor was puzzled. She was very nervous and we feared we would lose her. Your Dr. True's Elixir was recommended, and after two days' use the passed several worms from two to three inches in length, and is now well and strong and sleeps nights without retreating, tossing and starting in a fright as she did formerly."

I will be glad to furnish this clergyman's name and address to anyone who cares to write to me.

N.B.—True's Elixir is the best known remedy for all stomach and bowel troubles. Purely vegetable, pleasant to take and entirely harmless. Expels stomach worms and pinworms. All dealers, 33c; 50c; \$1.00. Yours for better health,

Dr. True
13 Dreamwood St., Auburn, Me.

Town Hall, North Chelmsford

"THE EMPEROR'S DAUGHTER"
By the Senior Girls' Club

Wednesday, April 9th
Admission 25 Cents
Reserved Seats 35 Cents

ENGINEERS, ATTENTION

Local 532 International Steam Engineers. Invites you to attend an open meeting and smoke talk. WEDNESDAY EVENING, at Tyler hall, 71 Central at All licensed engineers are earnestly invited to attend. Come and hear something of great interest. Pipes and tobacco and the usual refreshments will be served.

BESIEGED BY OFFICE SEEKERS

Secretary of Treasury McAdoo Obligated to Flee From Job Hunters

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Besieged in his club and in his office by job hunters and waylaid by them at every turn, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo has almost reached the conclusion that life is not worth the living. Lost for hours yesterday from the ken of his cabinet associates and his confidential clerks it transpired today that he had fled from the turmoil and had discovered a haven of rest in a small hotel. The hotel room for several hours was the financial center of the United States while the secretary and his clerk worked through the stack of correspondence and public business that had piled up. It also developed that Mr. McAdoo and his personal attendant made their escape from the treasury building by a back door and slipping stealthily into a waiting taxi cab were whisked off before the small army of office-seekers could get into action.

BILLERICA MAN HELD IN \$1000

For Breaking Into Summer Camps After Serving Three Years for Same Offense

William Cahill, charged with twenty odd counts, was in police court this morning for a preliminary hearing. Cahill pleaded guilty to all the various complaints charging him with breaking into 23 camps along the Merrimack river, most of which are located in Billerica. Officer Conway of the Billerica police, made the arrest and had several witnesses at the Market street station this morning.

Three years ago Cahill was arrested at practically the same spot where he was apprehended yesterday, and for similar offenses. He was taken before the superior court at the criminal session and Judge Bond sent him away to the house of correction for a term of four years. After serving nearly three years he was released and immediately started back for his old stamping ground and began the same work of breaking into summer camps all over again.

Cahill would enter a camp and take whatever he thought he would need to either feed or clothe himself, but refrained from taking anything to sell. He seemed to feel as though it was much easier to go along in this world without working for a living, but never had any money nor did he seem to want it. His actions have caused doubts to be entertained at police headquarters as to his sanity. His case was put over for the next session of the criminal high court in June, Cahill being turned over to Sheriff Eveleigh as he was not able to meet his bail of \$1000. His case is one of the most peculiar that the local police have handled in years.

Neighbors in Squabble

The Flanagan and the Haydens, both inhabitants of Cady street, demonstrated how easy it is for two families to allow their children to get them into trouble. Three complaints were the result of little Eddie Flanagan being pushed or thrown down in his yard some two weeks ago.

One complaint charged Mary H. Hayden with assault and battery on Edward Flanagan, another accused Patrick F. Flanagan, Edward's father, with assault and battery upon Mary H. Hayden, while the last complaint alleged that John H. Hayden, William Hayden and Martin Hayden, the husband and two sons of the complainant, had committed assault and battery upon Patrick Flanagan. William Hogan, Esq. appeared for the Flanagan family, while Attorney Joseph O'Connor upheld the rights of the Haydens. The case had only got fairly started when court was adjourned until this afternoon.

Beer Party Broken Up

A beer party, which Officers Clark

and Sheridan broke up last night on Middle street, convened again today in police court. William and Elizabeth Clayborn, Michael O'Connor and James Danforth were all present on the charge of drunkenness. O'Connor, after listening to a short lecture by Judge Knight was allowed his liberty with the payment of a two dollar fine, but the others did not fare so well. Danforth was sent to jail for a period of four months and two Clayborns will spend half of that time at the same place.

Ralph Bridgeford, a young man of twenty-two years with a wife and child to care for, pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of an axe from the Gage Ice company. He admitted that he took the axe but told the judge that he did not consider the axe of any value. Hugo Hill testified that the defendant had disposed of the stolen property to him for the small sum of 25 cents. The court gave Bridgeford a severe lecture and ordered him to go to work. He was fined \$10 and given four months in which to pay his fine.

Five Months' Sentence

William H. Clifford concluded that he would rather spend five months in the house of correction than give his wife \$5 a week to support herself and their child. The complaint against him was neglect of wife. His wife was first called to the witness stand. She told the court that her husband had been trying to discover the whereabouts of his family but had been unable to do so. Inasmuch as he has been living in Lowell as well as his wife, the court thought the defendant's efforts could not have been very energetic or he could have found his wife and child long before this. He gave the defendant the choice of going to jail for five months or giving his wife \$5 every week. Clifford refused to do the latter and appealed from the sentence. George Allard, Esq., appeared for the defendant, while Lawyer McEvoy had the case for the prosecution. Louis P. Caron was sent to the state farm at Bridgewater. Michael Sherry, Napoleon Dochow, Wilfred Guertin were all fined \$5 for their second appearance for drunkenness. There were five first offenders, who were taxed the usual \$2, and five releases by Probation Officer Slattery this morning.

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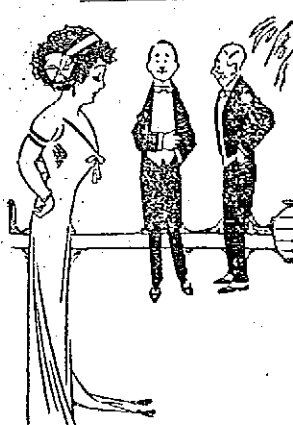
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OBSERVING THE CITY CHARTER

For some time past there has been considerable talk throughout the city in reference to the charge that Commissioner Brown exceeded his authority when as head of the street department last year and at the request of Mayor O'Donnell he brought the charge to the attention of the district attorney as a matter of official duty.

Towards the close of the year it was known that Mr. Brown had exhausted his funds while a large number of the department bills remained unpaid, but the total amount of these bills was not known until a couple of weeks ago when Commissioner Brown, now in charge of the street department, submitted to the municipal council a list of the unpaid bills received for last year. The municipal council has the matter of payment under consideration, but Mayor O'Donnell states that the only way the bills can now be met is by a loan which would thus force the city to resort once more to the discarded and discredited policy of borrowing to meet current expenses. Moreover, the fact that these bills were not paid off monthly as they came due, has placed the city in the attitude of refusing to meet its obligations with business-like promptness.

Now as to the responsibility for this state of affairs, the charter provision fixes that so clearly that there can be no evasion. It rests entirely with Commissioner Brown.

Section 25 of the city charter says: "Each commissioner shall have full power to carry out the policies, or to have the work performed in his department as directed by the municipal council."

It is an admitted fact that each commissioner has full power and authority to direct the work and the general expenditures of the departments to which he is assigned and for which he is held responsible. The municipal council as a body is in no degree responsible for Commissioner Brown's individual acts. For the proper discharge of his duties the city pays the head of the street department the sum of \$2500 annually. For this amount the incumbent is expected to show such business sagacity as will protect the interests of the city, financially and otherwise; but it appears that Commissioner Brown failed to arrange the expenditures of his department so that the funds specially set apart therefor would cover the entire year and pay all the bills he contracted. The result is a situation that reflects upon our city and that leaves the commissioner open to the charge of exceeding his appropriation which under the new charter is made a criminal offense.

Section 23 of the city charter says: "No officer of said city (Lowell), except in the case of extreme emergency involving the health and safety of the people or their property, shall expend knowingly in any fiscal year any sum in excess of the appropriation therefor, duly made in accordance with law; and any officer who shall violate this provision shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$1000 or by imprisonment for not more than one year or by both such fine and imprisonment."

This provision of the charter is so plain that there is no mistaking its meaning. Furthermore, it was framed for the purpose of putting a stop to the ruinous custom that prevailed under the old charter, of spending the appropriation in the first ten months of the year and calling for a loan to carry on the work for the balance of the year. There is no other single point of municipal administration upon which the charter is more specific or more emphatic.

Mr. Brown cannot plead any "extreme emergency" involving the health or safety of the people or their property for there was none that could justify his course. Had there been such an emergency he would surely have brought it to the attention of the municipal board.

On the other hand it is impossible to conceive that he would be ignorant of the fact that he was exceeding his appropriation. He must have known the amount of bills contracted, yet he went on having them unpaid till the end of the year and now they come as an obligation for which the city must add to its indebtedness.

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Moreover on the hearings he claimed to have saved a large sum by his administration that year; but he did not mention the amount of the bills left unpaid.

The state of affairs here described certainly justified the other commissioners in removing Mr. Brown from the street department and assigning him to a different department this

year, although he vigorously protested that the change was unfair and that the people elected him to continue in charge of the street department, a statement for which there was no foundation. The people did not know the facts last December and, moreover, the assignment of departments is made by the municipal council, not by the people at the polls.

If any of the other commissioners followed such a policy in regard to the close of the year, we believe Mr. Brown would have promptly called him to account; for he is quite insistent that the others live up to the letter of the law as unpaid, but the total amount of these bills was not known until a couple of weeks ago when Commissioner Brown, now in charge of the street department, submitted to the municipal council a list of the unpaid bills received for last year. The municipal council has the matter of payment under consideration, but Mayor O'Donnell states that the only way the bills can now be met is by a loan which would thus force the city to resort once more to the discarded and discredited policy of borrowing to meet current expenses. Moreover, the fact that these bills were not paid off monthly as they came due, has placed the city in the attitude of refusing to meet its obligations with business-like promptness.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Second Motion

Lowell News: We have a healthy city here. Statistics prove that. We have accomplished this by carefully regarding the welfare of our people. So let's keep at it. Remove everything that in any way menaces the comfort and health of the inhabitants. Let the city itself take a little turn at the streets. Let the lack alleys be cleaned up. Get the unsightly rubbish heaps out of the way. Clean the refuse that breeds the pestilential fly.

Not Tolerated

Lawrence American: The strikers now declare that they will not return to work until the prison doors are opened and Haywood comes out a free man, no matter whether the manufacturers grant their other demands or not. This is the strike directed against the state as well as against the manufacturers. But the state will not be affected. Haywood and others of his kind must be taught the lesson that the state can and will enforce its laws through the regular channels through which reforms may be obtained and that direct methods, involving deaths and the destruction of property, will not be tolerated in this country.

July 23, 1900

Fallon News: Layton, O. 17,000 line drops down to 12,000 people. But this is an army of men, women and children to whom the destructive forces of nature have brought varying degrees of losses, distress and privation. Even though the waters are subsiding, and the revised mortality roll reveals a bit falling off from the original reports, the spectacle of 7,000 people marooned up a broad line in one of the devastated cities can be nothing if not pathetic. Meanwhile, the need of food, money and supplies in the stricken sections is pronounced—a fact which the charitable inclined can well ponder. If they have not already contributed to any of the funds for relief of sufferers.

The Maine Uplift

Portland Express: The record of the past few years has been one in which the people of Maine could take no pride. Because official neglect of duty has been manifest in many quarters. The fact that the time has come when a halt to these lawless proceedings has been called, and that men elected and sworn to perform certain duties will be shortly held to account, if they neglect those duties, is a matter for sincere congratulation. Officials' faith-

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APRIL FOOL PARTY

Successful Event Conducted at First Congregational Church Last Evening—Large Attendance

A delightful April fool party was held last night in the vestry of the First Congregational church. The affair, which was largely attended, was conducted under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., and was very successful, the event providing great amusement for the large attendance.

April fool games of all descriptions were enjoyed, and the affair closed with the serving of a dainty luncheon. Those responsible for the success of the soiree were: Miss Irene Cockerline, chairman; Misses Mildred McKnight and Dorothy Wallingford, Mrs. Melvin, Mrs. Staples and Messrs. Wilbur, Richardson, Harold McKnight, Winifred and Donald Hanson.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Recently the annual Easter sale and supper of the James A. Garfield Relief Corps was held in Post 120 hall with great success. Mrs. Lestine E. Parker had general supervision of the affair and conducted it in a most satisfactory manner. The supper was served from 7 to 9 p. m. and was in charge of Mrs. Lela A. Johnson in the kitchen, assisted by Mrs. Almira Kilpatrick, Miss Mary Shirley, Mrs. Linda Wilkins, Mrs. Josephine Worden and Mrs. C. E. Brackett.

The dining room was managed by Mrs. Mary E. Offutt, assisted by Mrs. Laura Coburn, Mrs. Carrie Storm, Miss Nettie West, Miss Gladys Storm, Mrs. Martha Hubbard, Mrs. Josie Carter, Mrs. Elsie Trubey.

The fancy table was under the care of Mrs. Annie E. Tuttle, chairman with Mrs. Anna Cheney and Mrs. Juliette Blood assistants. Candy table, Miss Helen Smith; mystery table, Mrs. Alice Phelps, chairman. Mrs. Florence McLane, assistant; apron table, Mrs. Martha Pike.

On April 15 a patriotic evening will be held under the auspices of the relief corps and the principal speaker will be Hon. J. B. Lewis of Boston, a well known orator. There will be a whist party on April 12.

The Merrimack Valley Past Noble Grand's association will meet Friday afternoon, April 11, in Odd Fellows hall, Andover.



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When a woman who is subject to sick headaches improves her general health the sick headaches become less frequent or disappear altogether. Anything which tends to lower the "tone" of the body operates to bring on an attack and when the system is "laxed up" the attacks lose their severity.

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As a rule a sufferer from sick headache can tell hours, sometimes days, in advance, when the headache is coming on. This fact makes it possible to use a laxative at the approach of an attack to expel the poison from the system and to prevent a moderate severity of the attack. A new laxative, PINK-LETS, has been designed to be used with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for the cure of this disease. A sample of Pinklets and a booklet on the treatment of sick headache will be sent free upon request.

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LEAGUE GAMES ROLLED

Interesting Matches on Alleys Last Night

Two games in the Saco-Lowell league, one in the Heinz Electric-U. S. Cart-ridge league and a matched game between a picked team from the Heinz works and a team from the Waterhead mills was the list of last night's bowling. All of the games were well rolled.

The Kitsons defeated the Foundry rollers by the close score of 1315 to 1200. The winners won the match by taking the last string by 14 pins, overcoming a two-pin lead in this string. Conley's total of 299 was high.

In the other Saco-Lowell league game the Draftsmen beat out the Shoppers by exactly the same margin as the Kitsons possessed over the Foundry team. The Draftsmen lost the last two strings of the match, but had enough from the first to carry them through a winner. O'Neil was high man with a total of 270.

The Climax five were too strong for the Ajax team in their Heinz Electric-U. S. Cart-ridge league contest, winning the watch by the score of 1362 to 1201. The Climax rollers won each of the three strings. Schonborn was high man with a total of 395 for his three strings.

The five bowlers from the Waterhead mills met defeat at the hands of the team which was picked from the Heinz Electric works, losing their match by the score of 1301 to 1259. The winners pulled ahead from their opponents in the last string, having lost the first two by close scores. Coughlin of the winners was high with a total of 293 for his three boxes. The scores and summaries of the various games follow in detail:

Saco-Lowell League

Kitson: Kelley, 260; McNulty, 250; Harrah, 263; Langevin, 256; Conley, 299. Total, 1315.

Foundry: Marshall, 254; Demers, 242; Finney, 257; Proulx, 266; Clark, 287. Total, 1299.

Draftsmen: Seales, 259; Woodman, 262; Dana, 258; Goodchild, 253; Sileo, 265. Total, 1297.

Shoppers: Blauvelt, 254; Boardman, 259; O'Neil, 270; Welcome, 243. Total, 1225.

Heinz Electric-U. S. C. League

Ajax: Gleason, 267; Doyle, 245; Cart, 243; Donahue, 253; Arnold, 260. Total, 1269.

Climax: Pearson, 249; Freeman, 251; Doole, 265; Quirk, 232; Schonborn, 395. Total, 1362.

Waterheads vs. Heinz

Waterhead: England, 249; Hartley, 241; Ellis, 256; Clough, 254; McElroy, 250. Total, 1250.

Heinz Picked Team: Scully, 245; Elk, 261; Lane, 235; Coughlin, 274; Coughlin, 293. Total, 1301.

SONDER YACHT SERIES

The International Event to be Held at Marblehead Beginning August 10

BOSTON, April 8.—The conditions governing the fifth international sonder yacht series between Germany and America to be held off Marblehead next fall were announced today. They follow closely those governing the previous races at Kiel and Marblehead.

Entries for the American trial races to be held at Marblehead beginning August 15 will close on July 15.

There will be at least five races in the international contest for President Wilson and Gov. Fox cups. The trophies are to be awarded on points.

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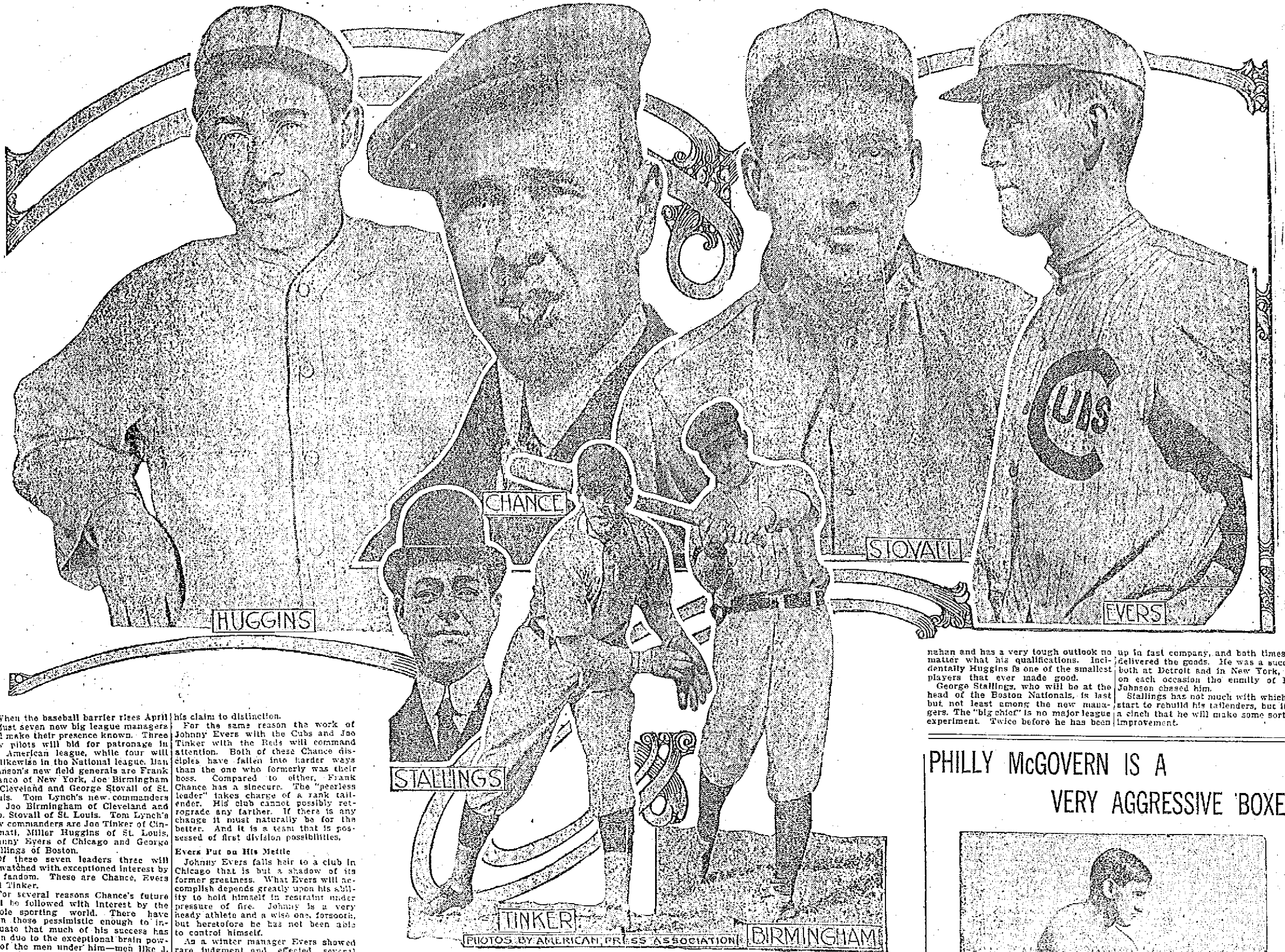
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BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICS

Three New Managers in American League and Four New Bosses in the Senior Organization Will be Seen When the Major Leagues Open on April 10



When the baseball barrier rises April 10 just seven new big league managers will make their presence known. Three new pilots will take for patronage in the American league, while four will do likewise in the National league. Tom Johnson's new field generals are Frank Chance of Cleveland and George Stovall of St. Louis. Tom Lynch's new commanders are Joe Birmingham of Cleveland and Geo. Stallings of St. Louis. Miller Huggins of St. Louis, Johnny Evers of Chicago and George Stallings of Boston.

Of these seven leaders three will be watched with exceptional interest by all fans. These are Chance, Evers and Tinker.

For several reasons Chance's future will be followed with interest by the whole sporting world. There have been those pessimistic enough to insinuate that much of his success has been due to the exceptional brain power of the men under him—men like Evers, Joe Tinker and Mordecai Brown. It is up to Chance to disprove this allegation by improving the position of the tailenders of the American league.

If he can materially do so in a league to which the strengths and weaknesses of his opponents are unknown, he will start he will have at least vindicated

his claim to distinction.

For the same reason the work of Johnny Evers with the Cubs and Joe Tinker with the Reds will command attention. Both of these Chance disciples have fallen into harder ways than the one who formerly was their boss. Compared to either, Frank Chance has a sincere. The "peerless leader" takes charge of a rank tailender. His club cannot possibly retrograde any farther. If there is any change it must naturally be for the better. And it is a team that is possessed of first division possibilities.

Evers Put on His Mettle

Johnny Evers falls heir to a club in Chicago that is but a shadow of its former greatness. What Evers will accomplish depends greatly upon his ability to hold himself in restraint under pressure of fire. Johnny is a very heady athlete and a wise one, forsooth, but heretofore he has not been able to control himself.

As a winter manager Evers showed rare judgment and effected several things that should prove highly beneficial. He drove a still bargain for Frank Chance, the deposed leader of the Cubs. He bagged Mike Mitchell, a wonderful outfielder and a man badly needed in the Windy City, as well as some promising infield material. Chicago's outfield should be stronger than for

some years. If any kind of a fair shortstop is developed to replace the great Tinker, Johnny's infield will rank with the best, for no rival can boast three better men at their positions than Messrs. Evers and Zimmerman.

It looks very much as if Evers will have the greatest catching corps of history in Archer and Brennan. That puts it squarely up to the pitchers. This department is very, very weak, however, and unless it is improved materially Chicago cannot hope to figure seriously.

Any one who attempts to brave the storm of Cincinnati's avell chorus is worthy of all the sympathy that can possibly be spared. If Joe Tinker makes good in Redland he will be about twice as good as he would have to be to make good in any other town. August Herrmann had to give up a whole lot to land Tinker, but in landing him he obtained what the Reds needed very badly for many years—a real shortstop.

If the newspapers and fans are contented to give Joe a real chance he is

likely to put Cincinnati right up among the leaders before long. Chance considers him the brainiest player in the big leagues. Certainly he has executive ability for it was Joe who kept the battered Cub legion in the fight after Evers drove Frank Chance from the bench last year.

Stovall and Birmingham.

In the American league besides Chance are two other ventures, George Stovall at St. Louis and Joe Birmingham at Cleveland. Both of them finished the season of 1912 at the heads of their teams, though neither opened the 1913 campaign in that capacity. Neither can be regarded as a big league experiment in as strict a sense as can Evers or Tinker or Miller Huggins in the National league. Yet neither of these men has been a full season in charge of a club.

Stovall finished the season of 1911 in command of the Clevelanders and finished so well that everyone thought him a real phenom. Unfortunately for him, before the track had been assigned Harry Davis had been secured for 1912.

Davis proved a bloomer after trading Stovall to the Browns. In St. Louis Stovall was given command after Rhody Wallace proved a failure. The man who had been so successful in Cleveland did not fall down in the Mount City. He pulled the team out of the ruck and finished in seventh place. Much is expected of him.

Joe Birmingham, a fine outfielder and one of the greatest throwers in the game, had an experience much like that of Stovall the previous year. Birmingham was selected as temporary leader of the Naps when Harry Davis threw up the sponge in disgust. Under Birmingham's administration the Blues pulled themselves together and made a strong finish.

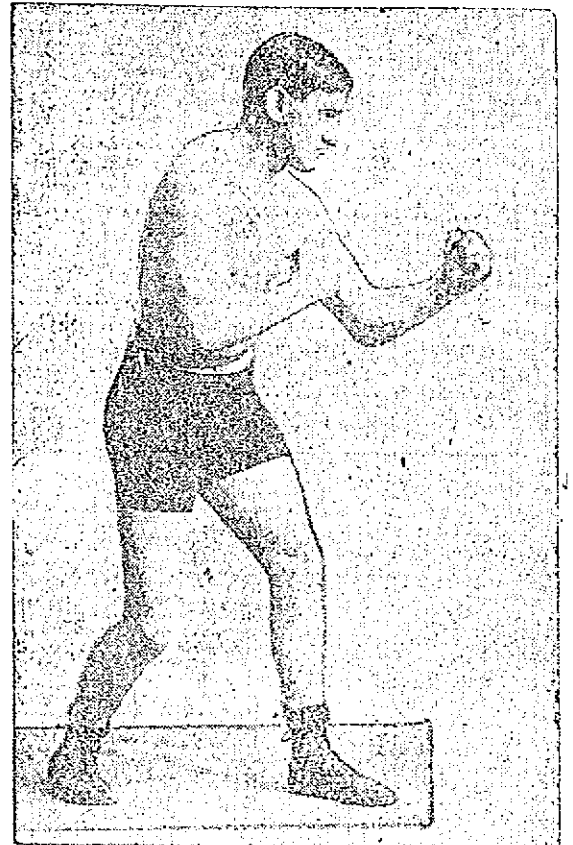
Birmingham has never been thoroughly put to the test, but Charlie Somers this time has decided to leave good enough alone and will do no more experimenting just at present. Birmingham will at least start the season in command.

A Little Manager's Big Job

A pure experiment is Miller Huggins in St. Louis. He succeeds Roger Bres-

nahan and has a very tough outlook no up in fast company, and both times he matter what his qualifications. He delivered the goods. He was a success both at Detroit and in New York, but players that ever made good. on each occasion the enemy of Ban Johnson chased him. Stallings has not much with which to but not least among the new man- start to rebuild his tailenders, but it is gers. The "big snort" is no major league a cinch that he will make some sort of experiment. Twice before he has been improvement.

PHILLY McGOVERN IS A VERY AGGRESSIVE BOXER



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Philly McGovern, who hails from the same burg that Johnny Doherty claims as his home, Brooklyn, N. Y., will appear in the main bout before the members of the Lowell A. C. on Friday evening when he meets Tony Flanagan of Cambridge. McGovern appeared at the local club several weeks ago and met Johnny Munica of Charlestown, and many of the members were of the opinion that the Brooklyn boxer should have been awarded the decision. The referee, however, thought differently and called the bout a draw. McGovern, however, was the aggressor, and carried the fight to his opponent all through the mill. He made a great impression on all by his faculty to assimilate several taps to get over a good one. He took glancing blows on the face and would then tear in with stiff ones to the body. He is quick and ever ready to see a chance to slip one over. Flanagan, too, is a very aggressive boxer, and during his career has met a number of good boys and has always given a good account of himself. He recently met Kid Labora at Manchester and that exhibition proved one of the fastest that has taken place in the New Hampshire city in many days. He is training carefully for Friday night's bout, and feels confident that he will defeat the brother of the once "Terrible Terry" Johnny Cooper and Young Morgan, who will appear in the semi-final bout next Friday. The preliminaries this week are contenders for the title of their class in this section. Morgan, while a more scientific boxer than Cooper, did not seem to get acquainted with Cooper's style until the last few rounds of the bout. He avers that he learned considerable last week and expects to come out on the long end Friday. Cooper says that he accumulated a little more knowledge last week and will use it to good advantage in this week's bout. The preliminaries this week are also very good ones and in all the show looks like one of the best of the season.

Live Bits of Sport

President McCue of Brockton is doing a lot of worrying over the fact that four of his veterans are holdouts and cannot be induced to affix their signatures to a contract until their price is granted them. Howard, Brigolia, Boardman and Gaw all refuse to play ball for the Shoe City club unless their salaries are boosted up to their own specifications. Howard, in all probability, will live up to what he has told the Brockton management but when the season opens and the hold-out players see other men signed to fill their former positions on the team then they usually forget all about the salary question and are ready to bow for a chance to play. Howard, however, will get his raise or he won't play ball as he demonstrated last year when he was sold to the New York Americans. He told the Brockton club then that he would not report at the Metropolis and he kept his word.

The latest thing in boxing is one of the principals suing the club that put on the show for injuries received during the contest. This is the first time on record that a boxer ever tried to collect for damages received while in the ring. Joe Wilber, who was knocked out in the fifth round at the boxing club in Birmingham, N. Y., is the originator of this joke. Wilber

BIDS

For the refreshment privileges at Spaulding park for the season of 1913 will be received at the baseball office, Hildreth building. Bids close April 15th at 5 p. m. Andrew F. Roche, President Lowell Baseball Club.

John J. Conlon, one of the C. Y. M. L. committees in charge of the benefit dance to raise funds for Henry Sullivan's trip to England (and we hope his return to France) has received a letter from the greatest of all pugilists, John L. Sullivan, in which the old champion enclosed a check with his best wishes for the Lowell boys' success. It was expected that John L. would be present at the affair, but he is in San Francisco now and anticipates quite an extended stay in the west. Here's hoping that the proceeds from the dance lead down the exchequer!

With Red Sox home again baseball

Two players were injured in a game yesterday at New York between the Highlanders and the Brooklyn team. Claude Derrick was badly spiked in the hand by Zach Wheat in the fifth inning. The Indian slid into second base where Derrick was standing waiting for him with the ball and cut the third finger of the shortstop's right hand. The injury will keep him out of the game for a week or ten days. Frank Chance, the "Peerless Leader," also twisted his ankle while rounding first base on a two-base hit. It was nothing serious, fortunately, for the Yankee manager limped to the bench.

Harry Breyer, the Lawrence

FIVE KILLED IN FIRE

25 Structures Destroyed by Flames

CLIFTON, Ariz., April 5.—Five persons were killed and a total property loss of \$200,000 was caused by the fire which swept the Chase creek section of Clifton yesterday. Francisco Prevail, the

his son, two Americans, and a Chinese were killed by falling walls. The fire started in a small dwelling and destroyed 25 structures. There was no water available.

Umpires Assigned

CHICAGO, April 5.—President Johnson of the American league announced last night the following assignments of umpires for the opening games on Thursday of this week:

At Cleveland, O'Loughlin and Ferguson; at St. Louis, Evans and Hildebrand; at Boston, Dineen and Hart; and at Washington, Connolly and McGreevy.

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BOY KILLED WHILE AT PLAY

Five Year Old South Boston Boy
Accidentally Killed by Cousin
of Same Age

BOSTON, April 8.—Five-year-old George E. Dowling, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Dowling of 291 street, South Boston, was shot and instantly killed by a bullet from a revolver fired by Thomas Dowling, also 5 years old, at the home of the latter, 405 East Third street, yesterday afternoon.

Shooting Was Accidental

The shooting was accidental, the boys, who were cousins and chums, having found the weapon under the bed of Edward Dowling, father of Thomas, and the latter was "showing how to shoot it" when the gun exploded and little George fell to the floor with the top of his head nearly blown off.

The boy who did the shooting was not even detained by the police because of the well-established principle of the criminal law that "a person under the age of 7 years is conclusively presumed to be incapable of committing a crime."

The boys were alone in the house at the time of the fatality. Despite his youth, Thomas apparently realized the enormity of the act, and hastened to

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attendants, in the Eliot school basement; all of the expenses of the page street playground were paid; it provided a supervisor and two assistants for the Greenhalge school playground; it paid for an extra assistant at the South common; and about \$10 was spent for material for the industrial work. The college club was responsible for a French speaking supervisor at the Allen street playground.

Short papers were read on various features of the biennial meeting held in California last spring. The papers were by Mrs. Hobson, Mrs. Grant and Miss Bessie Hadley.

WEDDED ANOTHER'S WIFE

Boston Man Wants N. Y. Marriage Annulled

BOSTON, April 8.—George Loring of Boston wants his marriage to Mary Richards Loring annulled and filed a petition to that effect with the clerk of the Suffolk superior court yesterday. He alleges that he went through a marriage ceremony with her in New York city on April 11, 1907, which was performed by the Rev. Charles A. Heila, and that he lived with her till recently before discovering that she was married to another when the ceremony with him was performed.

He claims her husband is named Thomas McGowan and that she married McGowan at Concord, Mass. McGowan is supposed to be living now. Loring stated he lived with her in Boston, New York city, Cleveland and Indianapolis.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to those who by their acts of kindness, words of consolation and beautiful floral tributes helped to lighten the burden of sorrow in our recent bereavement. All will be held in loving remembrance.

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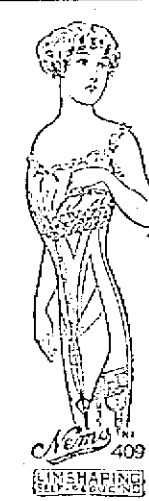
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- SKELETON SKIRTS made of muslin, trimmed with blind or open embroidery, \$1.50 value at..... \$1.00
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BASEMENT BASEMENT

STABBED WITH PITCHFORK

Man Attacked Boy Who Snowballed Him

LYNN, April 8.—The fun of throwing snowballs in the heaviest April blizzard for many years was terminated suddenly yesterday for 12-year-old Earl W. Thompson, 99 Allen street, when he was stabbed in the back with a pitchfork in the hands of Charles Upham, caretaker of the Wyman estate on Beacon Hill avenue.

Upham said the boy hit him. Upham was arrested on a warrant sworn out by the father of the injured boy.

CARS TO REPAIR SHOPS

New Track to be Laid in Billerica

A party representing the Bay State, Boston & Maine and Lowell board of trade visited the site of the new repair shops in Billerica yesterday afternoon to see what method could be used to extend the electric car tracks to the shops. The party consisted of Engineer Coffin of the Boston & Maine, Engineer H. C. Packard of the Bay State with Superintendent H. C. Farrington and President George M. Harrigan and R. F. Marden of the Lowell board of trade.

WELCOME PARTY

COMMITTEE OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH MET

Hoxbury People Will Be Honored by Residents of Collingville—Affair Will Be Held on April 18

The members of St. Mary's parish, Collingville, held an important meeting in Harmony hall Sunday afternoon, the purpose of which was to appoint a committee to look after arrangements for a welcome party to a large number of Long pond vacationists, who showed their appreciation of Rev. Thomas A. Walsh's services as pastor of St. Mary's church, by conducting a successful party at Inter-colonial hall, Roxbury, for the benefit of the church.

The parishioners of St. Mary's church, wishing to pay these people a tribute in the form of a welcome party, met at the request of their pastor, and after receiving information relative to the gathering, elected Thomas Burke as chairman of the meeting. A committee was named and it was decided to hold the event at Harmony hall on April 18. The affair is in the line of a dancing party followed by a dinner.

Mr. Burke was chosen chairman of the general committee and general manager of the event. Others chosen were as follows: Miss Mary Burke, secretary; Patrick McEahan, chairman of dance committee; James Costello, chairman of supper; Patrick Whelan, general utility man; Michael and John Connelly, in charge of the hall; James Mooney and John McDonald, checking; Michael Whelan, door; Miss Josephine Whelan, Mrs. Frank Gleason, Miss Anna Conneran, Mrs. Mary Riley and Miss Margaret Fogarty, assistants to Mrs. Costello. The latter were also assigned to various districts in the parish to solicit.

The meeting adjourned to Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

SEWER PETITIONS

COM. DONNELLY GAVE HEARINGS LAST NIGHT

Many Present in Favor of Lawrence Street Sewer Extension—U. S. Bunting Cricket Club a Petitioner

Commissioner James E. Donnelly gave hearings on a big list of sewer petitions at city hall last night. The petition of George W. Ingalls, et al, was to the effect that the Lawrence street sewer be extended from its present terminus at or near Buckingham street, to Boylston, Hampstead and Dayton streets. Great stress was laid on the necessity of extending the Lawrence street sewer. Residents from across the Concord river were there to tell how bad are the conditions in their district. Others in favor of the petition included Harry Mulno, John Sullivan, Mr. Davis, Thomas Grimsdew, Thomas Jones and Damase Laporte. They said that the Lawrence street sewer as it is at present is of no use whatever to the people across the Concord river and they urged that the sewer be extended.

Thomas McGinn and William Rutledge were opposed to the extension. George French appeared as favoring the extension of a sewer in Hawthorne street, 150 feet southerly. There was no remonstrance.

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TO BLOW UP CASTLE

Suffragettes Continue to Wreck Buildings

DUDLEY, England, April 8.—Militant suffragettes last night attempted to blow up the ruins of the historic Dudley castle, the keep of which dates back to the eighth century, when the original stronghold was built by a Saxon prince. The whole of the inhabitants of the town were awakened by a loud explosion at midnight coming from the direction of the castle. A large force of local police was dispatched there and on searching the surrounding grounds found some chemicals and blasting powder that had failed to explode.

TYNGSBORO MEETING

Warrant Out For Meeting on April 12
—Calvin Austin's Gift of Land to Be Considered

A town warrant has been issued by the selectmen of the town of Tyngsboro, calling for a town meeting to be held Saturday, April 12, at 7:45 p. m., to consider the question of the town accepting the gift of a strip of land south of the Union school grounds for public horse sheds; and to choose a committee to build said sheds and to raise and appropriate the money needed for this purpose; also to see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for improving the streets, providing the state will furnish a similar amount of money. After the meeting there will be a hearing on the petition signed by Herbert J. Swallow and 16 others, on relocating the road abutting A. W. Swallow's land on the premises.

The strip of land for horse sheds is the gift of Calvin Austin, 130 feet by 30 feet.

ATTACHMENT FILED

Thomas Curry of Chelmsford Is Being Sued For \$1000 in an Action of Contract

An attachment in the sum of \$1000 has been filed at the registry of deeds against Thomas Curry of Chelmsford, in an action of contract brought by the William P. Proctor Co. of Chelmsford.

Card of Thanks

We wish to give our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors, and especially the employees of the Day State mills, for the kindness and sympathy shown to us in our hour of great sorrow, and we are grateful for the many spiritual offerings accorded to him, our beloved father and son.

(Signed) Winifred, Joseph and Mary Ryan. Mrs. Jane Ryan and family.

Birthday Party

The Phyllis club met at the home of Miss Florence M. Gouley, 48 E. Street, Friday evening, it being her sixteenth birthday. The program opened with a birthday march, played by Miss Laura Davis, and "When I Was Sweet Sixteen." A duet was played by the Misses Mary Flanagan and Grace Cole; piano solos were also rendered by Miss Mary Kallio and Miss Florence Gouley. Miss Awalet played a bag in behalf of the club, and although taken by surprise she responded with thanks. The club broke up at a late hour wishing Miss Florence many happy birthdays. The Phyllis orchestra played during the evening.



THE FOUR HARMONISTS
At B. F. Keith's Theatre This Week

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Lowell Opera House
"Faust" and "Martha" in condensed versions with costume will be presented by noted stars of the Boston Opera company post season tour, when that organization visits Lowell next Thursday at the Opera House playing at popular prices.

The plan of popular priced opera is to be extended to this city next season by a series of six operas, and the first presentation under the plan is related upon by Edwin Hawer Hesser, who is directing the movement, to secure public support next year.

Mr. Hesser yesterday stated that the company which is first coming here is as fine as any that could be assembled, and as expensive as most casts used in the presentation of operas at the regular five dollar price scale.

"The costs," he said, "will be as good or better than the average grand opera production. Only too readily have operatic directors all over the world fallen into the habit of having one big star each evening, and assigning the other parts to lesser lights. And they cannot be blamed, for a really good star costs at least five hundred dollars a performance, and a cast of good singers, headed by a great star, comes dangerously near the ten thousand dollar mark, when chorus and orchestral expenses are considered."

"In the past season four we have a group of stars of the first water, all of them singing because of their interest in spreading the gospel of grand opera to other New England cities."

Motion pictures of the life of St. Patrick will be shown at the Opera House next Saturday and Sunday. Peter S. McNally, who is perhaps better known as a swimmer and newspaper man, but who has during the past year or two earned quite a reputation as a platform speaker, will lecture on "The Life of St. Patrick" in conjunction with the motion pictures. The pictures, as well as the lecture, are taken from Irish historians and from the "Confessions of Patrick."

"THE COUNTRY BOY"
The Henry B. Harris estate's production of Edgar Selwyn's prolific comedy, "The Country Boy," will be the

attraction at the Opera House, April 13th.

The Playhouse
The tastes of people who are actively intellectual naturally tend toward that which will furnish them material for reflection or challenge them to the solution or at least the consideration of a problem. So it is in their choice of theatrical productions and in following their line of refinement and culture they without effort combine amusement with mental advancement. Certainly this is a condition to be desired, both for the benefits which accrue to the people themselves and because of the distasteful pastimes which they necessarily avoid. This would seem rather a far fetched introduction for the criticism of a drama, and yet on the contrary, it is most fitting, for it is one which will be to the advantage of the playgoers and not to the theatre management.

The second Mrs. Tanqueray is the star of this week's production by The Drama Players at the Playhouse, under the personal direction of Mr. Kendall Weston and it certainly contains all the desirable qualities named above. The intellectual play is the play with the motive, the problem play which will give the audience something to judge of. Naturally the most available questions for the playgoers, as well as perhaps the most important in this age, are the social problems, those which seldom receive the public attention of the economists.

The role of "Paula Tanqueray" is one of considerable difficulty, but is well handled by Miss Bertha Mann. It is a character demanding diverse moods and feelings. A restless, uncertain character that keeps the audience interested throughout.

Mr. J. Anthony Smythe is seen as "Aubrey Tanqueray," Paula's husband. There was perhaps no other actor who came to this city who received the sincere commendation and approval of the audience more than has Mr. Smythe, and it is well deserved. He is possessed of a rare versatility that fits him for a diversity of roles.

Laura Tittle is seen in the part of "Elean Tanqueray," daughter of Aubrey, and she was as usual a marked favorite with the audience. Hallet Bosworth has a stout part and was well up to his accustomed high standard as was Mr. Dillon. Mrs. Byrne, another big favorite, Miss Naitland and Mr. Carroll. Orrin Shear had a very difficult part to which he did full justice. In regard to the selections they are of the usual Playhouse quality which is to say they are most pleasing.

During the remainder of this week there will be performances each afternoon and evening of "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray."

Keith's Theatre

"Dances of Love" by Mlle. Louise LeGall, assisted by M. Jules LeBarbe and Maïse, is the leading attraction of an excellent bill that is being presented at B. F. Keith's theatre this week. Five separate dances are given and Mlle. LeGall appears in three, in which her pretty appearance makes a splendid impression. M. Jules LeBarbe and Maïse take part in the other two dances and all are the kind of dancing that one is seldom fortunate enough to see. The beautiful scenery compared favorably with the artistic beauty shown in the different dancing

numbers, and all was greatly appreciated by the audience.

"The Vandyke Agency," presented by James Kelly and Anna Pollock, will surely be enjoyed by those who like the comedy part of the show. Mr. Kelly with his clever jokes and nimble dancing, and Miss Pollock, who is a dancer, singer and comedienne, make a riot of fun from start to finish. Among the songs that Miss Pollock renders is that old one, "Mrs. Murphy's Home." She sings this in a very costume, and it is one of the features of the act. The dancing, singing and comedy were all very well favored by those present at yesterday's performance.

Al and Dick Curtis, Stanley Rhodes and Larry Perkins, consisting of four melodious chords, are a quartet such as is very seldom congregated. Two of them play the piano, one the violin, and all sing quite as well as they can play. There is also some clean comedy brought out in this act.

Stuart and Kelly, dancers and singers, are classed highly, and their work yesterday and last night was excellent. Marlin, a comedy magician, does tricks with the cards that mystify those with the keenest eye.

Sam and Marjorie give a vaudeville act that pleases all classes, young and old, while Charles Howe & Co., assisted by Miss Belle Mitchell, give a little playlet, entitled "A Broken Heart," and many remarked that this was one of the best acts on the bill.

The Thomas Edison talking pictures this week go as smoothly as those of the past two weeks and they consist of a melodrama called "Her Reformation," and another scene entitled "The Chimes of Normandy." These pictures prove more popular each week, and the subjects this week are well worth seeing. In all, the show is one of the best of the season, and from curtain to curtain the audience is treated to excellent entertainment.

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Mexicans a Much Abused People--The Masses in a State of Peonage to the Upper Classes Who Are Educated and Refined--Madero Alone Fought for the Masses



1—Streets in Mexican cities. 2—Aztec Indian with bow and arrow. 3—Woman in traditional dress. 4—Group of people in a field. 5—Man in a suit. 6—Man in a suit. 7—Man in a suit. 8—Man in a suit.

A writer conversant with conditions in Mexico writes very interestingly of the people and their troubles and says peonage is the great evil. Madero alone wanted to secure justice for the people. The writer in question says: "Whether Mexico is 'Barbarous Mexico' as John Kenneth Turner called it in his book, and an 'uncivilized and uncultured country' as Richard Harding Davis said in his recent letter to Secretary of State Knox, or 'uncivilized Mexico' and a 'land of opportunity' opinions differ. But they do not differ in calling Mexico one of the most interesting countries on earth, with contrasts that are vivid and startling."

Take, for example, the hacendado, owner of a large estate, his wife and sons and daughters on the one hand and the peons who cultivate the estate on the other. The former live in a mansion of beautiful Spanish or Moorish architecture, and amid surroundings of the most luxurious semi-tropical beauty. They spend money in lavish measure on their surroundings and themselves and are educated and refined to the last degree. They speak Castilian Spanish, varied frequently with French and less frequently with English and German. They travel abroad for pleasure and are as familiar with the Strand, Broadway, the Bois de Bou-

logne and Unter den Linden as any cosmopolitan. But travel down the road a bit and get away from the modern atmosphere that surrounds the manor house. There you were in the 20th century, possibly a bit ahead of the time. Here you revert to the 15th, among peons living in poverty and squalor in a thatched-roof hovel. In fact, neither the peon nor any member of his family can write nor has he any desire to cultivate that useful and enlightening art. If he feels within himself the stirrings of ambition they must find a different outlet. He must ingratiate with others of his kind at the local hotel, or drinking shop, and there decide with which band of trouble makers he will affiliate himself.

Very Hard to Acquire Land

Suppose the peon wants to work hard for advancement, you ask? Well, the landowner and his family have no objection to seeing the peon work. Quite the contrary. They even encourage him to work—sometimes with rawhide whips. If he works hard enough and shows intelligence he may even rise to the position of foreman or overseer of other workers. But for him to become a landowner by any other process than inheritance has been virtually impossible, since the land laws of Mexico have been contrived to prevent it.

Madero Wanted to Divide

It was one of the most telling counts in the indictment against Porfirio Diaz and his regime that the poor man was barred from acquiring land, and it is said to the credit of the dead Madero that he favored revision of the land laws that would help to break up the extensive holdings of the very wealthy hacendados and of the governments, federal and state, and would place some of the land at the disposal of the industrious poor.

Good authorities on the present state of affairs south of the Rio Grande say that Madero's benevolent intentions in this respect were one of the causes of his downfall and death. Mexicans of the "higher" classes are intelligent and educated enough to realize that their hold on the government, which converts it from a republic in name to an oligarchy in fact, depends almost entirely on retaining control of the land.

No Ex Costume

As has been said, the Mexicans of the wealthy and landowning, professional and government classes—the latter two blend into each other—are enlightened and educated. They adopt foreign ways and manners as far as may be suited to their climate and natural characteristics. They do not lop off Mexican manners entirely, save in extreme cases, but graft on them, as on a stock, the best they know of foreign customs, preferably French. But among the lower classes the prevailing note is found in the familiar term, "no es costume"—"it is not the custom."

Possibly nowhere else on earth are the people so hidebound by custom, repulsive therefore in even the slightest particular marks the visitor to Mexico as an "extranjero," a foreigner, no matter how Spanish-American he may be in feature and dress. The Mexicans have a keen eye for such matters. And they are proud, very proud.

Don't Laugh at Mexicans

In any Mexican city you cannot make a greater mistake than to display amusement at anything that strikes you as being queer. That is why the Americans of the "era" class who have come to Mexico in recent years are disliked. They do not appreciate the importance of "costumbre" and they expect the Mexicans to forget it.

Germans and Frenchmen, and to some extent Englishmen, are wiser. They will take the trouble to learn Spanish, and with it Mexican idioms.

BAR AND BOTTLE BILL

Repeal Proposed by Bill Reported to House

BOSTON, April 8.—A repeal of the bar and bottle bill, the piece of liquor legislation over which the hardest fight in recent years was made at the time of its passage, in 1910, is proposed by the bill the committee on legal affairs is to report to the house today. It carries with it an amendment that there shall be a referendum in each Boston city and town.

There are six dissenters, including Senator Chairman Hiram and House Chairman Tully. The others are Senators Montague and Representatives Bates, Wilson and Cassara. Leave to withdraw was reported in.

the senate on the "daylight liquor" bill, with Representatives Tully, Bates and Wilson dissenting. This bill, which fixes the hour of opening saloons at 8 o'clock, was advocated as a measure in the interest of safety to employees in industrial establishments. It was argued in support of it that if a man can not buy a drink before going to work, he is less likely to become injured. Pictures are quoted on both sides. The committee frowned upon the at-

tempt to permit licensed hotels to sell to John J. Riley on his petition for the liquor between midnight and 4 a. m. on special occasions. Leave to withdraw was reported also on the bills providing that the full number of licenses allowed by law in Boston shall be issued; that a portion of the license fee shall be refunded in case of the death of the licensee; that the number of licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors shall not be limited by law, and

rooms for rent; heat, gas, hot and cold water; private family; home privileges. St. Church st.

FEMALE BOSTON TERRIER LOST. Perfect white and nose striped with white; well marked. Reward if returned to 515 Middlesex st.

THE WHITE STAR LINE'S New **"OLYMPIC"** FITTED WITH DOUBLE SIDES AND ADDITIONAL WATERTIGHT BULKHEADS EXTENDING FROM THE BOTTOM to the TOP OF THE VESSEL Will Sail from New York **APRIL 12--MAY 3** and Regularly Thereafter

Admission State Street, Boston, or 12 Murphy's, 15 Appleton St., F. R. Leeds, 5 Bridge St., D. A. Barnston, 124 Mount St., F. O'Donnell, 251 Market St.

WE GIVE "S. & H." GREEN TRADING STAMPS

NELSON'S DEPT. STORE

THE MECCA OF LOW PRICES

Special Sale Coats and Suits

THIS WEEK

50 New Spring Suits made to sell for \$16.50, \$19.50.

\$12.95

50 New Spring Coats made to sell for \$12.95, \$15.00.

\$8.95

MILLINERY SPECIALS THIS WEEK

TRIMMED HATS—

\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$5

UNTRIMMED SHAPES—

45c, 69c, 95c, 1.25, 1.95

VACATION SALE OF GIRLS' APPAREL

Tomorrow—or any day this week—would be an excellent time for mothers to bring in the children to be fitted to a new coat or dress.

This store is especially prepared to clothe your girl in the most serviceable and fashionable garments to be had in Lowell. The greater part of the styles we show are confined strictly to us and the prices we ask are most decidedly within reason. We mention today just a few of the hundreds of pretty things we are showing.

NEWLY RECEIVED JUNIOR SUITS

Tailored Suits in navy blue only, with 3-button coat and tailored skirt. Jacket trimmed with soutache braid and pearl buttons, at \$11.75. Another style comes in navy, Copenhagen, tan, with appropriate trimmings of Bulgarian braid and Dresden collar. At \$12.98 and at \$15 we have a great choice in smart girlish suits of black and white checks, tan, navy and Copenhagen, serges and mixtures in cutaway and Balkan blouse effects.

SMART JUNIOR DRESSES

We are showing a great many of the new College Dresses for growing girls—ages 13, 15, 17 and 19—they come in navy, Copenhagen and tan serges and are lowly priced at \$10.00.

The newest novelty is the Balkan Blouse Dress. It comes in black and white checks and plain serge and is finished with rich, wide silk plaid ribbon on collar, cuffs and low Bulgarian belt, at \$15.00.

CHILDREN'S NEWER COATS

For \$5.00 you can buy a choice of 25 styles in Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, in serges, mixtures and checks. At \$6.99 we have many entirely new styles in serges and fancy mixtures, and for \$10.00 you can have the mannish coat, Bulgarian blouse styles, or the trimmed tailored coats in great variety.



N. Y. Cloak and Suit Co.

CHERRY & WEBB

12-18 John St.

Confirmation and Graduation Dresses

Our display was never so complete—its white dresses in a great assortment of models priced at from \$1.99 to \$15.00

THE SUN CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

TO LET

NICE COTTAGE TO LET AT 24 Wood St. Inquire 10 Floyd St. Tel. 12-10.

ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER shop or business office, to let, on second floor of the Harrington building, 52 Central St.

CLEAN BUNNY, FIVE-ROOM TENEMENT to let, handy to the mill; price \$2.15 per week; 25 Fulton St. Centralville. Apply 216 Central St.

DOWN STAIRS FLAT FIVE ROOMS to let, with pantry bath, furnace heat, set tub, excellent collect on Highland car line at 231 Liberty St. Inquire 241 Liberty St.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, Also rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 181 Central St.

TWO LARGE ROOMS SUITABLE for light housekeeping or painting, to let, at 254 Thetford St. Inquire 13 Lang St.

FRONT FURNISHED ROOM TO LET, gas, hot and cold water, use of telephone, rent \$7. Apply 121 Appleton St.

CHEAP RENT—SIX NEW FLATS 58 Elm St. \$5 month, large 5-room flat 13 Prospect St. \$5 month; 5-room flat on Central St. \$4.50 month; 4-room flat at 142 Elm St. 6 rooms each; all new. Jos. Flynn, 71 Chapel St.

PLACE TO MAKE MONEY, BOARDING house to let, plenty of boarders; 14 1/2 week, no washing, sure pay from the office. Houses and land for sale, Inquire Eustache Christian, 454 W. Linn St., South Lowell.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS FOR light housekeeping. Apply 179 Middlesex St.

FOR RENT

—IN THE—
HARRINGTON BUILDING
52 Central Street

Splendid rooms on the second floor, suitable for Physician, Dentist, Tailor, Barber, Dressmaker or Real Estate dealer. Also offices on the third floor. Rent reasonable. Apply to D. J. Harrington, New Sun Building, or at The Sun Office.

FOR RENT

The splendid offices on the second floor of the Harrington Building, formerly occupied by Louis Grunwald, the piano dealer. These offices are light, airy, easy of access, centrally located, with fine large windows. Rent reasonable. Apply to D. J. Harrington, Building Manager, Room 901 New Sun Building, or at The Sun Office.

TO RENT

Desirable Offices in Traders' Bank Building,
38-40 Middlesex Street.

FIRE LOOT \$100,000

Estimate of Plundering in Boston Buildings

BOSTON, April 5.—Fire and plundering have stalked through Boston hand in hand. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

Though most robberies of burning buildings have been of minor importance, their frequency, according to evidence brought out by the present fire-fighting investigation, is said to have dumfounded the authorities.

It is planned to bring the investigation to a close by dealing out a lesson to certain men that will put a stop to the practices that are now said to have been going on for years.

The cases of firemen charged with looting the offices of the Braman-Dow company will probably be laid before the grand jury tomorrow. Others besides firemen may be involved in the disclosures, it is said.

The surprise of the probe, continued at headquarters yesterday by Fire Commissioner Cole and Police Inspector Pierce, was the number of men outside the department who appeared to testify.

Over twenty firemen besides the outside witnesses were questioned yesterday. The examination will be continued today, but it is understood that the police are satisfied that their case against certain firemen involved in the Braman-Dow looting is nearly complete.

COUNTRY TO PROSPER

As Never Before, Says

W. A. Erwin

WASHINGTON, April 5.—W. A. Erwin of West Durham, N. C., president of the American Cotton Manufacturers association, at the opening of the annual meeting of that organization here today, said that downward revision of the tariff is contemplated with the gravest apprehension by the part of some of the members of the association. He expressed the hope, however, that with tariff revision on reasonable lines and with safe banking and commercial laws created by the present administration and with the opening of the Panama canal, "the industrial and commercial enterprises of our country prosper throughout this and the coming years as they have never done before."

BOWLING LEAGUE BANQUET

To Be Held This Evening at the Rooms of the Young Men's Catholic Institute

—Several Good Speakers

Tonight the annual banquet following the bowling tournament at the

TO LET

FRONT ROOM TO LET, MODERN conveniences, piazza adjoining, use of cellar, rent \$10.00. Inquire 100 Central St.

WINE CLASS BOARD AND ROOMS to let, steam heat, most desirable residential district in the city; one minute walk from Westford St. car line. Inquire Mrs. Nellie Saunders, 65 Quaker St. Tel. 3182.

FARM FOR RENT, BARN OR EXCHANGE for city property, located near Nashua. Address P. O. Box 123, Lowell.

FARM OF FIVE ACRES TO LET, all kinds of fruit trees, barn and 4-room tenement, rent \$7 a month. Charles Mack, 1 Fletcher St.

3-BEDROOM COTTAGE TO LET, in Centralville, all latest improvements, at 65 Rogers St. Inquire 400 Centralville.

TWO MODERN FLATS TO LET, at 17 and 25 Moore St. Low rent.

TENEMENT OF 5 ROOMS TO LET, after May 1st, in the Highlands, with bath, set tub, gas range, desirable location, near Thetford St. car line. Inquire 21 South Walker St.

LARGE ROOM, TO LET, STEAM heated, furnished or unfurnished, in private family, with privilege of telephone, bath, and refrigerator. Inquire 21 South Walker St.

STOCK, at 359 GORHAM ST., NEAR railroad bridge, to let, rent \$10 per month.

To Let

Suite of two rooms for light housekeeping or business purposes, in the Beacon block. Inquire of matron, 191 Merrimack St.

SPECIAL NOTICES

ALL KINDS OF GARDEN WORK done by day or job. Lawns taken care of, expert advice, free. Walter H. Hill, landscape gardener, 76 Fourth Ave.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought, sold and repaired. We pay highest prices in city for old or used furniture. Peter Stanhope, 234 Dutton St.

TEACHER, PIANO OR VOICE, NEW methods of training, quick development, satisfaction guaranteed; also piano tuning and repairs. Address George Hancock, 222 Concord St.

AUTO TRUCK SERVICE FOR LONG distance moving. J. H. Macdonald, 255 Hildreth St. Telephone connection.

TEACHER OF SEVERAL YEARS' experience in the public schools of this city will give private lessons in all branches of the English language. Special attention given to backward pupils and persons of neglected education. For particulars address Miss K. L. Cunningham, 123 Llewellyn St.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND REPAIRED. Tuning \$1. J. Kershaw, 139 Pleasant St. Tel. 121.

BENT'S NO. 1 KILLS LICE ON children. Excellent for brownish moth itching, fly poison, lice, mange, salt rheum, itching skin. 25 cents at all druggists.

CHIMNEY CO. CHIMNEY EXPERTS.—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1125 Boston St. Tel. 445-W.

THE SUN IN BOSTON.—THE SUN is on sale every day at both news stands of the United States in Boston. Don't miss this when taking your train for Lowell.

HELP WANTED

FULLER OVER OPERATORS WANTED for main. Apply Mearns, Feeley & Adams, Lincoln St.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED. CALL 40 Alder St.

AGENTS—INVEST ONE CENT in a postal card for full particulars of a proposition that will pay you from \$30 to \$40 a week. Galloway Bowman Co., 141, 222 Waterlooside, Iowa.

\$2.50 PER DAY PAID ONE LADY in each town to distribute free circulars for concentrated flavoring in tubes. Permanent position. F. E. Barr & Co., Chicago.

SWEDISH OR PROTESTANT GIRL wanted for general housework in a small family; must be a good cook and give references; no washing; this an excellent position for the right person. Address Housewife, Sun Office.

AGENTS—OUR ABSOLUTELY square \$130 to \$175 weekly salary and 2% commission in proportion to steady volume of business. Galloway Bowman Co., Div. 228, Waterlooside, Iowa.

CHAUFFEUR WHO HAS A LITTLE spare time can learn of a position where he can make extra money by advertising. C. B. Sun Office.

SEVERAL COMPETENT LATHE hands wanted at once. Steady first class men need apply. Shop work. Second-hand shops, employment dept.

SALESMEN WANTED, LOCAL OR traveling, to sell soap for safe to businessmen. Experience unnecessary. Quick sales. Big commission. Alpine Safe Co., Cincinnati.

YOUNG MAN WANTED TO LEARN the drug business; good chance for the right person. Address Q3, Sun Office.

LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE FOR magazine wanted; good salary for hustler. Give references and past experience. Address 75 Federal St., Boston, Mass.

WORSTED DRAWING ROOM HELP wanted. Worsteds twisters and spinners. Apply Hillsborough Mills, Winton, N. H.

\$100 WILL BRING \$1000 A YEAR, \$25 and up in proportion. Safe business. Best money making investment. Captain Jay Hursley, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

MEN WANTED IN THEIR OWN LOCALLITY or travel. Good time now to take orders for fruit and ornamental trees, plants and seeds. Experience not necessary. Highest commissions payable weekly. Fastest sales agreement. Write for investment, delivery or collections to make. Address Perry Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y., established 1858.

EXPERIENCED BOARDERS

On half hose wanted. Steady work. Apply Shaw Stocking Co.

WANTED

First-class maker and two apprentices at Stack & Thomas. The New Sun Building.

WANTED

Fitter for Coat and Suit Dept. Apply Mr. Casey, Nelson's Dept. Store.

WANTED

Steam dyeing and cleaning of ladies' and gentlemen's apparel. 30 years in the business. 49 JOHN STREET

HELP WANTED

TWO HORSE TEAMSTEER WANTED for dump cart work and coal teaming. Good wages; note but a steady worker. Good apply. John P. Quinn, 937 Gorman St.

MAN WANTED TO TAKE AWAY and haul shingles in portable saw mill. D. Sheehan, 250 Essex St.

PAINTERS WANTED. APPLY AT once, ready for work at 127 Howard St.

ENERGETIC SALES AGENT WANTED, to establish headquarters in and look after entire business of Lowell; exclusive contract references. L. Downside, 127 Howard St. Boston, Mass.

LADIES MAKE SUPPORTERS; \$18 per 100; no canvassing; material furnished. Exclusive privilege for parties. Milwaukee Supply Co., Desk C150, Milwaukee, Wis.

HELP WANTED

WANTED
A First Class Meat Cutter
GOOD WAGES TO THE RIGHT MAN
Address Q3 Sun Office

HELP WANTED

Foreman or forelady to take charge of stitching room. Apply W. J. Barry Shoe Co., 50 Stackpole St.

EXPERIENCED MILLINERY

SALESLADIES WANTED

Apply Boston Wholesale Millinery Co., 212 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

LOST AND FOUND

STRING OF GOLD BEADS WITH cross attached, lost Friday morning, either in St. Peter's church or between Friend Bros. bakery and St. Peter's church. Reward for return to 15 Westford St.

SMALL POCKETBOOK LOST containing \$12 and some small change between Immaculate Conception church and Nelson's Dept. store. Owner's name and address in pocketbook. Finder will be suitably rewarded.

RID BIRD DOG WITH WHITE feet, lost; answers to name of Don. Return to 14 Weed St. and receive reward.

KNITWEAVE CONTAINING MONEY lost Friday, March 31st, near depot. Reward for return. Address N93, Sun Office.

IN TROUBLE?

Why not relieve your mind? All kinds of family and business troubles investigated. Room 312 Sun Building.
MERRIMACK SQ., Lowell, Mass.

Taylor Roofing Co., Inc.

Use galvanized iron cut nails for shingling, size 4 penny; they do the best work. Gravel roofing done promptly and well.
TEL. 950, 140 HUMPHREY ST.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

TWO TENEMENT HOUSES AND barn on school st. for sale. Inquire at 464 Merrimack St.

THE JULIA COTTAGE AT WILLOW Dale, for sale, fronting on the lake; six rooms, all furnished and large veranda; best location at Willow Dale; also a lot of land large enough to build another cottage on it. Will sell cheap for cash. Inquire of E. L. Dorchester, Tyngsboro, near Mountain Brook.

6-ROOM HOUSE WITH FURNACE, for sale; hen house; 10,000 feet of land; Inverhill St., Elmhurst. J. A. Howard.

CORNER TWO-STORY HOUSE with small store, for sale, price \$2500, or will exchange for cottage in direction of North Chelmsford. Address K15, Sun Office.

BRAND NEW HOUSE FOR SALE, near Chelmsford St., not far from St. Margaret's church and Washington school. The house contains seven rooms, reception hall, bath, pantry and all the modern conveniences. It will sell cheap if sold at once. A. A. Brown, 73 Island St. Tel. 3210.

HERE'S A BARGAIN—COTTAGE with 7 rooms, at 870 Lakewood ave. for sale. This place of property is in the very heart of the growing section of Centralville; has all modern improvements, including hot water heating plant; newly painted on exterior and interior, and is situated on 5000 feet of land. Reason for selling, owner moving to another part of the city, and is willing to sell for small amount down and allow remainder to be paid as rent. Inspection of this place is invited. Apply on premises for particulars.

3/4 ACRE POULTRY, FRUIT and vegetable farm for sale; a bargain. See E. E. Park, 161 Steadman St.

Lodging House For Sale

Nine rooms, nicely located, near city hall. Rooms rent for \$15 per month profit. A great place for investment. For April 15th. Call any day after 11 a. m.

W. E. DODGE

Real Estate and Insurance of all kinds. 2 Central St.

FOR SALE

2 tenement house on Bridge street, 5 rooms, bath and gas. \$2100
4 tenements and store, Lawrence street. \$2200
9 room house on Pearl street. \$1500
1 tenement house with store on Merrimack street. \$2500
2 tenement house on Lakewood avenue, near Bridge. \$2600
House lots on Bridge St., 10c foot.

INQUIRE OF OWNER AT 1125 BRIDGE STREET

SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER desires position with small family. Will furnish the best of references. 11 Jewett St.

LEGAL NOTICES

Every Savings Bank in Massachusetts is required by law to verify its deposit books during some part of the year (1913). Will you please present your books during the months of March, April and May for verification. LOWELL INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS 15 SHATTUCK STREET

Bright, Sears & Co.

WYMAN'S EXCHANGE
Bankers and Brokers
SECOND FLOOR

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